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Government Notices.

1 **Durbar.**

HIS Excellency the Governor accompanied by a large staff of Civil and Military Officers held a great Durbar at Kano on January 1st. An immense concourse of natives probably exceeding 40,000 persons, headed by Emirs and Chiefs was assembled from all parts of the Protectorate. The leading Notables, many of whom were personally acquainted with His Excellency, expressed their great satisfaction at his return to the Protectorate.

On the same day a Review Parade took place, at which were present 5 Companies of Infantry, 2 Companies of Mounted Infantry and one Battery of Artillery.

An account of the Durbar will be published shortly as a supplement to this Gazette.

2 **Native Courts.**

A WARRANT establishing a Native Court under the Native Courts Proclamation with the approval of the Governor, under the Seal of the Protectorate, has been issued as under:—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of Warrant.
Ilorin	"C"	Judicial Council of Oke Moru	10th Oct. 12.

3 **Rise and Fall of the River Benue.**

FOR MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1912.

Date.	River Benue, 1st. Rise	1st. Fall	Aurus. Rise	Aurus. Fall
	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.
1st to the 6th	—	—	—	24
Week ending 13th	—	* —	—	40
" " 20th	—	4½	—	30½
" " 27th	—	38	—	4½
28th to the 31st	—	30½	—	14
Total Fall		9ft. 7ins.		12ft. 7ins.

* No record could be taken at Ibi from 1st to 15th owing to the gauging stick being taken away by strong current.

4 **Erratum.**

Notice No. 691 Gazette No. 22 of 1912, the date of appointment of Capt. F. L. N. Giles, Tinfields Survey, is 15th October 1912, and not as stated therein.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria
15th January, 1913.

5 **Post Office Notice.**

THE following alterations in Parcel Post rates are published for information:—

	Under 3 lbs. s.	d.	Exceeding 3 lbs. but not exceeding 7 lbs. s.	d.	Exceeding 7 lbs. but not exceeding 11 lbs. s.	d.
Austria Hungary	2	3	3	3	4	3
Belgium	1	8	2	8	3	9
Denmark via Ostend	2	3	3	3	4	3
Holland	1	6	2	6	3	6
Italy	2	10	3	10	4	10
Madeira	2	—	3	—	4	—
Norway	1	8	2	8	3	7
Nyasaland Protect.	3	8	5	4	7	—
Russia	2	10	3	10	4	10
Switzerland	2	—	3	—	4	—
Tunis	2	10	3	10	4	10
United States	1	11	3	7	5	3
Germany	1	10	2	10	3	10
Tripoli	2	6	3	6	4	6

H. M. WOOLLEY,
Postmaster-General.

The General Post Office,
Zungeru, 13th November, 1912.

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6 **JUDICIAL NOTICES.**

In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. Stanley Newton, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Stanley Newton deceased, who died at Naraguta in the Central Province on the 20th day of December, 1912, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. A. R. Leake at Naraguta in the said Province, Provisional Administrator, on or before the 15th day of February, 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 7th day of January, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

7 **In the matter of the Estate of the late Odibo (Shunter) Deceased.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Odibo (Shunter) deceased, who died at Minna in the Niger Province on the 18th day of November, 1912, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to the Resident at Minna in the said Province, Provisional Administrator, on or before the 28th day of February, 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 8th day of January, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru Northern Nigeria.

8 **Register of Medical Practitioners and Dentists.**

No.	Name.	Address.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification.	Date of Local Registration.	Remarks.
65	Maclaine, Stanley Lister George Donald	West African Medical Staff, Southern Nigeria	Lic. R. Coll. Phys. Edin., Lic. R. Coll. Surg. Edin., Lic Fac. Phys. Surg. Glasgow.	1902 April 30 S.	26th March 1912	
67	Thomson, James White ...	West African Medical Staff Northern Nigeria	M. B. Bac. Surg. 1904. Univ. Glasgow.	1904 July 25 S.	do.	
68	Percival, Beaumont Albany ...	do. ...	Mem. R. Coll. Surg. Eng. 1898, Lic. R. Coll. Phys. London 1898.	1898 Aug 13 E.	do.	
69	Cobb, William Graham ...	do. ...	M. B. Bac. Surg. 1907, Univ. Edin.	1907 Oct. 19 S.	12th May 1912	
70	Nolan, Robert Howard ...	do. ...	M.B. Bac. Surg. 1905, Univ. Edin.	1905 July 28 S.	do.	
71	Johnson, Walter Burford ...	do. ...	Mem. 1908, Fell. 1911, R. Coll. Surg. Eng., Lic. R. Coll. Phys. Lond. 1908, M.B. Bac. Surg. 1909, Univ. Lond.	1908 Nov. 17 E.	do.	
72	Wakefield, Frances Margaret ...	Sudan Interior Mission Paiko, Northern Nigeria	M. B. Bac. Surg. 1905, Univ. Edin.	1905 Sept. 9 S.	20th May 1912	
73	Doudney, Leslie	West African Medical Staff, Northern Nigeria	Mem. R. Coll. Surg. Eng. 1906, Lic. R. Coll. Phys. Lond. 1906.	1906 Nov. 12 E.	26th May 1912	
74	Black, Percy Webber	do. ...	Lic. Lic. Midwif. 1911, R. Coll. Phys. Ireland, Lic. Lic. Midwif. 1911, R. Coll. Surg. Ireland.	1911 Aug. 15 I.	14th June 1912	

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No.	Name.	Address.	Qualification.	Date of Qualification.	Date of Local Registration	Remarks.
75	Watson, Standish John ...	Jos near Naraguta, Northern Nigeria	M. B. Bac. Surg. 1909, R. Univ. Ireland.	1909 May 11 I.	10th July 1912	
76	Taylor, William Irisin... ...	West African Medical Staff, Northern Nigeria	Lic. R. Coll. Phys. Lond. 1900, Mem. R. Coll. Surg. Eng. 1900.	1900 May 3 E.	19th Oct. 1912	
77	Johnston, John Edward Lionel ...	do. ...	Mem. R. Coll. Surg. Eng. 1909, Lic. R. Coll. Phys. Lond. 1909, M. B. Bac. Surg. 1909, Univ. Lond., D. T. M. and H. Camb.	1909 Feb. 15 E.	23rd Nov. 1912	
78	Panhams, John Ernest ...	Accra, Gold Coast and Lagos, Southern Nigeria	L. D. S. 1895, Austria Hungary, D. D. S., U.S.A., (Chicago).	1895 May 3.	17th Dec. 1912	Dental Practitioner.

W. G. HALL,
Ag. P.M.O. Registrar.

3rd January, 1913

9 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. Edmund Commeh	Learner	Chief Secretary's ...	16th Sept. 1912 ...	(*Engaged locally.*)
Mr. Walter Peter Aryee	do	do. ...	1st Oct. 1912 ...	do.
Mr. Joseph Bandissin Stober ...	4th Grade Clerk	Marine	do.	do.
Mr. Crispin Moses Smith	4th Grade Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist ...	Postal and Telegraphs ...	1st Nov. 1912 ...	do.
Mr. James Ayedun	do. do.	do. ...	5th Dec. 1912 ...	do.

10 **Acting Appointment.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. F. M. Urling Smith ...	Education	Director of Education	20th December 1912.	

11 **Promotions.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. D. J. Edwin ...	1st Grade Clerk	Assistant Chief Clerk	Public Works ...	8th September 1912.
Orisayomi Ibadan ...	3rd Class Warder	2nd Class Warder	Prisons	7th October 1912.
Mr. W. P. Aryee ...	Learner	4th Grade Clerk	Public Works ...	1st December 1912.

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12 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months.	Vacation. Days.	Return. Months.	Return. Days.	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Mr. E. H. Morris, ...	Auditor	2	—	2	—	—	2nd Jan. 1913	Full salary.
Mr. L. W. La Chard	Assistant Commissioner of Police	2	20	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. G. McGregor ...	Assistant Resident ...	2	—	2	—	8th Jan. 1913	—	do.
Capt. S. C. Taylor	do.	2	20	2	—	—	9th Jan. 1913	do.
Mr. L. R. Bradley	Accountant and Storekeeper	2	—	2	—	—	11th Jan. 1913	do.
Mr. T. H. Haughton	Assistant Resident ...	2	20	2	—	15th Jan. 1913	—	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. B. Acquah ...	4th Grade Clerk, Customs	3	—	—	—	18th Dec. 1912	—	Full salary. Cape Coast.
Mr. Fritz Egbert ...	1st Grade Clerk, Political & Administrative	—	9	—	—	—	—	Without salary, Urgent private affairs, (Local), 21/11/12 to 29/11/12.

13 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Capt. A. S. Lawrence ...	Assistant Resident ...	Political & Administrative ...	3rd January 1913.	
Dr. A. J. M. Crichton ...	Medical Officer ...	Medical ...	11th January 1913.	
Mr. H. Gush ...	Assistant Auditor ...	Audit	do.	
Mr. T. B. Phillips ...	Assistant Treasurer ...	Treasury ...	do.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. J. Edwards ...	1st Grade Sorting Clerk, & Telegraphist	Postal and Telegraphs ...	23rd November 1912.	
Mr. J. H. Q. Bampoe ...	3rd Grade Clerk ...	Prisons ...	20th December 1912.	
Mr. J. P. Quartey ...	1st Grade Clerk ...	Chief Secretary's ...	22nd December 1912.	Relinquished 7 days leave.

14 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Lieut. F. W. Bell, V.C. ...	Assistant Resident	22 days	18th Nov. 1912	9th Dec. 1912	Without Salary.
Mr. C. S. Burnett ...	do.	18 days	21st Dec. 1912	7th Jan. 1913	Without Salary. Urgent private affairs.

15 **Transfers.**

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Lieut. F. W. Bell, V.C. ...	Assistant Resident	East Africa Protectorate	Assistant District Commissioner ...	10th December 1912.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. Commeh	Learner, Chief Secretary's Office ...	Treasury	Learner	10th October 1912.
Mr. W. P. Aryee	do. do. ...	Public Works ...	do.	23rd November 1912.

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16 **Resignations.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. T. E. W. Appiah	4th Grade Clerk	Marine	19th November 1912. ...	—
Mr. J. E. Davies	Station Master	Nigerian Railway	30th November 1912. ...	—

17 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed :—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Capt. G. E. O. F. Lambert ...	—	M. I., N. N. Regt.	Lower Standard Progress	23rd December 1912.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. B. Affaine	4th Grade Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	Colloquial	11th December 1912.

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18 **Appointment and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Lieut. Archibald Frederick Hordern, South Staffordshire Regt.	Company Officer... ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	11th Dec. 1912 ...	27th December 1912.

19 **Resumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date.
BRITISH N. C. O.			
Saddler Sergt. A. W. Jones	Saddler Sergeant	Mounted Infantry, N. N. Regt. ...	3rd January 1913.

20 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers, as regards those proceeding to England, from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the date mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months	Days	Months	Days			
Capt. A. B. Priestley ..	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	2nd Jan. 1913	Full Salary.
Lieut. O. Oakes	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	... —	2 ...	— ...	— ...	do.	do.
Lieut. A. F. P. Knapp ...	M. I., N. N. Regt	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	9th Jan. 1913	do.
BRITISH N. C. O's.								
Qr.-Mr. Sergt. T. G. Beeton ...	Headquarters N. N. Regt. ...	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	2nd Jan. 1913	do.
Armourer Sergt. J. W. Swain ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	do.	do.
1/Rating Sergt. I. C. Turner ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	8th Jan. 1913.	— ...	do.

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Extension of Leave.

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Rank and Name.	Unit.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Capt. W. J. Maule ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	12 days ...	30th Nov. 1912	—	Without salary. Urgent private affairs.
Lieut. F. R. Pollock	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ..	6 weeks ...	10th Dec. 1912	—	Ill-health. Half salary.
Lieut. E. Stone ...	Mounted Infantry, N. N. Regt.	— ...	12th Dec. 1912	19th Feb. 1913	Ill-health. Army rate.

Re-absorption.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of reabsorption into British Regiment.	Remarks.
Captain F. Fairlie	Company Officer ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	9th January 1913.	

23 THE following Nigerian Railway Rates Circulars are published for general information.

NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

RATES CIRCULAR NO. 1. OF 1912.

WITH effect from the 1st November 1912, the following special rates for coal and patent fuel in truck loads will be in force:—

From Iddo. To	Mileage.	Through Rates in truck loads only. per ton. s. d.
Awai	636	39 9
Loba	651	40 8
Duchi-N-Wai	664	41 6
Kudaru	688	43 0
Rahama	711	44 5

There will be no terminal charge at Iddo.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta, 16th October, 1912.

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

NIGERIA RAILWAY.

RATES CIRCULAR No. 2. OF 1912.

BAUCHI SECTION

THROUGH BOOKINGS WITH THE COAST.

Opening of Karre Station.

(1) SCHEDULE of RATES for GOODS TRAFFIC from KARRE Station to Stations on the NIGERIAN RAILWAY (Bauchi Section) and the Coast. In force on and from 15th November 1912.

Station to	Goods Rates @ per ton (2240 lbs) Owner's Risk. Classes. A	1	2	3	Station to
IDDO *	70/7	101/5	205/6	329/6	IDDO ... ...
BARO	49/4	78/11	160/6	262/-	BARO ... ...
ZARIA	9/2	15/2	30/3	73/4	ZARIA ... ...
AWAI	6/10	11/3	22/7	54/8	AWAI ... ...
SOBA	4/4	7/2	14/4	34/8	SOBA ... ...
DUCHI-N-WAI ...	2/2	3/7	7/2	17/4	DUCHI-N-WAI ...
KUDARU ...	1/10	3/-	6/1	14/8	KUDARU ... ...
RAHAMA	5/8	9/4	18/8	45/4	RAHAMA ... ...

* These Rates are also applicable between KARRE and BURUTU.

(2) Special Rates on TIN ORE per Ton: Owner's Risk.

From KARRE	To Baro	To Burutu or Iddo	From KARRE
	216/4	243/4	

(3) Special Rates on Imported MINING TOOLS, BORING PLANT, and MACHINERY of all kinds per ton: Owner's Risk.

To KARRE	To or from Baro	To or from Burutu or Iddo	To KARRE
	262/-	307/-	

NOTE:—A terminal of 2/6 is charged on all Traffic to and from Iddo.

(4) Special Rates on COAL & PATENT FUEL in truck loads, per ton: Owner's Risk.

from Iddo or Burutu	To KARRE	From Iddo or Burutu
	42/4	

NOTE:—There will be no terminal on Coal & Patent Fuel at Iddo.

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager

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NOTE:—It is requested that immediately on receipt of Rate Circulars they be attached to and filed with the Goods and Coaching Tariff.

NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

RATES CIRCULAR No. 3. OF 1912.

With effect from 1st December 1912, the following special rates for Coal and Patent Fuel in consignments of not less than 20 tons will be in force:—

From Burutu.	Through Rates.
To	Per Ton. s. d
Awai	39 9
Soba	40 8
Duchi-N-Wai	41 6
Kudaru	43 0
Rahama	44 5

There will be no Terminal Charge.

A. S. COOPER.
General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta, 12th November, 1912.

NOTE:—It is requested that immediately on receipt of Rates Circulars they be attached to and filed with the Goods and Coaching Tariff.

NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

RATES CIRCULAR No. 4. OF 1912.

The following alterations and additions to the rates in force from 15th October 1912, published in the 1912 Tariff, are notified for general information.

Item.	Rates on.	Altered from old Rate.	To new Rate.	In force from.
	Terminal charge at Baro	LOCAL HAULAGE BARO YARD. A charge of 15/- per truck will be made for haulage between Baro Station and any point on the Wharves.	A terminal of 2/6 per ton is charged on all bookings to and from Baro with the undermentioned exceptions: EXCEPTIONS:— 1. A terminal of 1/3 per ton is charged on the following commodities:— Capsicums, Chewing Sticks, Chillies, Jute, Nuts (country) not specified, Palm Nut Shells, Pepper (country), Potatoes, (sweet), Sponges, (native), Yam flour. 2. Cotton Seed—Special rate of 45/- per ton—Zaria to Burutu includes the terminal charge.	1st December 1912.

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta, 14th November 1912.

NOTE:— It is requested that immediately on receipt of Rate Circulars they be attached to and filed with the Goods and Coaching Tariff.

NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

RATES CIRCULAR No 5 OF 1912.

The following additions to the Rates in force are notified for general information.

Rates On.	Altered from old Rate.	To New Rate.	In force from.
Northern and Southern Nigeria Officials' Baggage either accompanied or unaccompaniend.	Unclassified.	1st Class goods Rate with free allowance of 2 Cwts.	October 16 1912.

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

General Manager's Office.
Ebute Metta, 25th November, 1912.

NOTE:—It is requested that immediately on receipt of Rates Circulars they be attached to and filed with the Goods and Coaching Tariff.

NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

RATES CIRCULAR No. 6 OF 1912.

REBATES.

ERRATUM.

It is hereby notified that sub-section G. clause 45 page 50 of the current Goods Tariff is cancelled.

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

General Manager's Office.
Ebute Metta, 23rd November, 1912.

NOTE:—It is requested that immediately on receipt of Rate Circulars they be attached to and filed with the Goods and Coaching Tariff.

NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

RATES CIRCULAR No. 7 OF 1912.

The following alteration to the Tariff now in force is published for information and guidance:—

The subjoined clause, under Heading "UNGINNED COTTON" Page 82, of Goods Tariff, is deleted as from October 16th, 1912.

"Consignments of Unginned Cotton booked to Ginneries will be charged at not less than a minimum "of 6 tons per truck. Should any consignment exceed 6 tons, charge will be made on actual weight."

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta, 28th November, 1912.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

OPENING OF KARRE STATION.

RATES CIRCULAR No. 8 OF 1912.

Schedule of Passenger Rates to and from Karre Station on the (Nigerian Railway) Bauchi Section and the Coast. In force on and from 7th December, 1912.

Station to	Distance from Karre.	Single Journey Fare. 1st. Class.	2nd Class.	3rd. Clsss.
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Iddo	677	155 11	56 5	18 4
Baro	321	80 3	26 9	6 9
Zaria	55	13 9	4 7	1 2
Awai	41	10 3	3 5	0 10
Soba	26	6 6	2 2	0 7
Danchi-N-Wai ...	13	3 3	1 1	0 3
Kudaru	11	2 9	0 11	0 3
Warako	24	6 0	2 0	0 6
Rahama	34	8 6	2 10	0 9

Note :—All classes of Traffic will be booked through from any Station on the Lagos and Baro-Kano Sections to any station on the Bauchi Section and *vice versa*. Rates where not specially quoted will be arrived at by taking the sum of the two Rates shewn in the Tariff to and from Zaria.

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta, 26th November, 1912.

Note :—It is requested that immediately on receipt of Rates Circulars they be attached to and filed with the Goods and Coaching Tariff.

NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

RATES CIRCULAR NO. 9 OF 1912.

The following alterations and additions to the rates in force from 15th October 1912, published in the 1912 Tariff, are notified for general information

Item.	Rates On.	Altered From Old Rate.	To New Rate.	In Force From.
1.	UNGINNED COTTON booked from Stations on the Bauchi Section, viz :—any station between Zaria and Rahama, inclusive.	Unclassified.	11/8 per ton per 100 miles or part thereof.	1st. January 1913.

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta, 14th December, 1912.

NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

OPENING OF KUCHI STATION.

RATES CIRCULAR No. 10 OF 1912.

Schedule of Goods Rates to and from Kuchi Station on the (Nigerian Railway) Baro-Kano Section. In force on and from December 15, 1912.

GOODS RATES FROM KUCHI TO ALL STATIONS.

Station to	Distance from Kuchi.	Owner's Risk. Classes. A	1	2	3
	Miles.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Iddo ...	511	55 0	79 10	161 5	237 8
Ebute Metta	509	54 10	79 8	161 2	237 4
Oshodi ...	504	54 7	79 5	160 6	236 6
Agege ...	499	54 3	79 1	159 11	235 8
Agbado	494	54 0	78 10	159 3	234 10
Ijoko ...	490	53 9	78 7	158 9	234 2
Kajala ...	485	53 6	78 4	158 2	233 3
Olumu ...	482	53 3	78 1	157 9	232 10
Agbesi ...	478	53 1	77 11	157 3	232 2
Itori ...	473	52 9	77 7	156 8	231 4
Wasimi	469	52 6	77 4	156 2	230 8
New Owowo	465	52 4	77 2	155 8	230 0
Isawo ...	460	52 0	76 10	155 0	229 2
Alagbada	457	51 10	76 8	154 8	228 8
Aro ...	453	51 7	76 5	154 2	228 0
Abeokuta	455	51 9	76 7	154 5	228 4
Lafenwa	451	51 6	76 4	153 11	227 8
Arikola ...	444	51 1	75 11	153 0	226 6
Sanushi	438	50 9	75 7	152 3	225 6
Opeji ...	436	50 7	75 5	152 0	225 2
Erawa Road	424	49 11	74 9	150 6	223 2
Olokemeji...	420	49 8	74 6	150 0	222 6
Ogunshileh	416	49 5	74 3	149 6	221 10
Ilugun ...	407	48 11	73 9	148 5	220 4
Adio ...	399	48 5	73 3	147 5	219 0
Moor Plantation	392	48 0	72 10	146 6	217 10
Ibadan ...	389	47 10	72 8	146 2	217 4
Oyo Road	386	47 8	72 6	145 9	216 10
Olodo ...	378	47 3	72 1	144 9	215 6
Lalupon	372	46 10	71 8	144 0	214 6
Odo Oba	368	46 8	71 6	143 6	213 10
Iwo ...	359	46 1	70 11	142 5	212 4
Ilegbo ...	352	45 8	70 6	141 6	211 2
Origo ...	343	45 2	70 0	140 5	209 8
Ede ...	336	44 9	69 7	139 6	208 6
Oshogbo	326	44 2	69 0	138 3	206 10
Ikirun ...	313	43 5	68 3	136 8	204 8
Okuku ...	303	42 10	67 8	135 5	203 0
Offa ...	294	42 1	66 9	133 6	200 3
Ila Market	282	41 0	65 3	130 6	195 9
Gama ...	272	40 1	64 0	128 0	192 0
Horin ...	266	39 6	63 3	126 6	189 9
Oyun River	258	38 9	62 3	124 6	186 9
Jodomo	248	37 10	61 0	122 0	183 0
Lanwa ...	238	36 11	59 9	119 6	179 3
Elebu ...	231	36 3	58 11	117 9	176 8

Station to	Distance from Kuchi.	Owner's Risk. Classes. A	1	2	3
	Miles.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Bode Sadu	224	35 5	57 9	115 6	173 3
Ibba South	205	33 10	55 8	111 3	166 11
Ibba North	204	33 8	55 6	111 0	166 6
Fatabu ...	131	31 10	52 6	105 1	157 7
Mokwa ...	179	29 10	49 3	98 5	147 8
Bokani ...	107	27 10	45 11	91 10	137 9
Charati ...	150	25 0	41 3	82 6	123 9
Pabu ...	139	23 2	38 3	76 5	114 8
Kooty Wenji	127	21 2	34 11	69 10	104 9
Gierkun	115	19 2	31 8	63 3	94 11
Akerri ...	107	17 10	28 5	58 10	88 3
Wushishi	93	15 6	25 7	51 2	76 9
Zungeru	82	13 8	22 7	45 1	67 8
Beji ...	63	10 6	17 4	34 8	52 0
Minna Junction	44	7 4	12 1	24 2	36 4
North of Minna Junction.					
She ...	26	4 4	7 2	14 4	21 5
Guni ...	8	1 4	2 2	4 5	6 7
Serikin Pawa	14	2 4	3 10	7 8	11 7
Godani ...	31	5 2	8 6	17 1	25 7
Sakin Kasua	42	7 0	11 7	23 1	34 8
Kaduna	61	10 2	16 9	33 7	50 4
Rigachikun	74	12 4	20 4	40 8	61 1
Birnin Yaro	85	14 2	23 5	46 9	70 2
Dumbi ...	100	16 8	27 6	55 0	82 6
Zaria ...	111	18 6	30 6	61 1	91 7
Likoro ...	121	20 2	33 3	66 7	99 10
Limi Dabosse	132	22 0	36 4	72 7	108 11
Faiki ...	155	25 10	42 8	85 3	127 11
Kano Goza	179	29 10	49 3	98 5	147 8
Kano ...	201	33 5	55 2	110 3	165 5
South of Minna Junction.					
Shapa ...	58	9 8	15 11	31 11	47 10
Kateregi ...	83	13 10	22 10	45 8	68 6
Ebba ...	96	16 0	26 5	52 10	79 2
Badeggi ...	112	18 8	30 10	61 7	92 5
Bakoji ...	128	21 4	35 2	70 5	105 7
Katcha ...	141	23 6	38 9	77 7	116 4
Baro ...	155	25 10	42 8	85 3	127 11

Note :—A terminal of 2s. 6d. per ton is charged on all bookings to and from Iddo Station.

A. S. COOPER.
General Manager.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

OPENING OF KUCHI STATION

RATES CIRCULAR No. 11 OF 1912.

Schedule of Passenger Rates to and from Kuchi Station on the (Nigerian Railway) Baro-Kano Section. In force on and from December 15, 1912.

Passenger Rates from Kuchi.

Station to	Distance from Kuchi.	Passenger Fares Single Journey. 1st Class	2nd Class	3rd Class
	Miles	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Iddo ...	511	114 5	42 7	14 10
Ebute Metta ...	509	113 11	42 5	14 9
Oshodi ...	504	112 8	42 0	14 6
Agege ...	499	111 5	41 7	14 4
Agbado ...	494	110 2	41 2	14 1
Ijoko ...	490	109 2	40 10	13 11
Kajala ...	485	107 11	40 5	13 9
Olumu ...	482	107 2	40 2	13 7
Agbesi ...	478	106 2	39 10	13 5
Itori ...	473	104 11	39 5	13 3
Wasimi ...	469	103 11	39 1	13 1
New Owowo ...	465	102 11	38 9	12 11
Isawo ...	460	101 8	38 4	12 8
Alagada ...	457	100 11	38 1	12 7
Aro ...	453	99 11	37 9	12 5
Abeokuta ...	455	100 5	37 11	12 7
Lafenwa ...	451	99 5	37 7	12 4
Arikola ...	444	97 8	37 0	12 0
Sanushi ...	438	96 2	36 6	11 9
Opeji ...	436	95 8	36 4	11 8
Eruwa Road ...	424	92 8	35 4	11 3
Olokemeji ...	420	91 8	35 0	11 1
Ogumshileh ...	416	90 8	34 8	10 11
Ilugun ...	407	88 5	33 11	10 6
Aido ...	399	86 5	33 3	10 2
Moor Plantation	392	84 7	32 8	9 11
Ibadan ...	389	83 11	32 5	9 9
Oyo-Road ...	386	83 2	32 2	9 8
Olodo ...	378	81 2	31 6	9 3
Lalupon ...	372	79 8	31 0	9 0
Odo Oba ...	368	78 8	30 8	8 10
Iwo ...	359	76 5	29 11	8 6
Ilegbo ...	352	74 8	29 4	8 2
Origo ...	343	72 5	28 7	7 10
Ede ...	336	70 8	28 0	7 6
Oshogbo ...	326	68 2	27 2	7 1
Ikerun ...	313	64 11	26 1	6 7
Okuku ...	303	62 5	25 3	6 4
Offa ...	294	60 2	24 6	6 2
Ila Market ...	282	57 8	23 6	5 11
Gama ...	272	54 8	22 8	5 8
Ilorin ...	266	53 2	22 2	5 7
Oyun River ...	258	51 2	21 5	5 5
Jodomo ...	248	48 8	20 8	5 2
Lanwa ...	238	46 2	19 10	5 0
Elebu ...	231	44 5	19 8	4 10
Bode Sadu ...	222	42 2	18 6	4 8
Jebba South ...	205	37 11	17 1	4 3
Jebba North ...	204	37 8	17 0	4 3
Tatabu ...	191	35 6	15 11	4 0
Mokwa ...	179	33 6	14 11	3 9
Bokani ...	167	31 6	13 11	3 6
Charati ...	150	28 8	12 6	3 2
Tabu ...	139	26 10	11 7	2 11
Kooty Wenji ...	127	24 10	10 7	2 8
Gierkun ...	115	22 10	9 7	2 5
Akerri ...	107	21 6	8 11	2 3
Wushishi ...	93	19 2	7 9	1 11
Zungeru ...	82	17 4	6 10	1 9
Beji ...	63	14 2	5 3	1 4
Minna Junction	44	11 0	3 8	0 11
North of Minna Junction.				
She ...	26	6 6	2 2	0 7
Guni ...	8	2 0	0 8	0 2
Serikin Pawa ...	14	3 6	1 2	0 4
Godani ...	31	7 9	2 7	0 8
Bakin Kasua ...	42	10 6	3 6	0 11
Kaduna ...	61	15 3	5 1	1 3
Rigachikun ...	74	18 6	6 2	1 7
Birnin Yaro ...	85	21 3	7 1	1 9
Dumbi ...	100	25 0	8 4	2 1
Zaria ...	111	27 9	9 3	2 4
Likoro ...	121	30 3	10 1	2 6
Gimi Dabosa ...	132	33 0	11 0	2 9
Faiki ...	155	38 9	12 11	3 3
Rafin Gora ...	179	44 9	14 11	3 9
Kano ...	201	50 3	16 9	4 2
South of Minna Junction.				
Shapa ...	58	14 6	4 10	1 3
Kateregi ...	83	20 9	6 11	1 9
Ebba ...	96	24 0	8 0	2 0
Badeggi ...	112	28 0	9 4	2 4
Bakoji ...	128	32 0	10 8	2 8
Katcha ...	141	35 3	11 9	2 11
Baro ...	155	38 9	12 11	3 3

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

RATES CIRCULAR No 12 OF 1912.

The following alterations and additions to the Rates in force from October 15th, 1912 and published on Page 106 of the Official Goods Tariff are notified for general information:—

The Special Rates on Palm Kernels and conditions as shown on Page 106 of the Official Goods Tariff are hereby cancelled as and from 24th December, 1912 and the following Special Rates are brought into force in lieu thereof as from the 24th December, 1912.

PALM KERNELS.

Special Through Rates for Palm Kernels to and from Iddo at Owner's Risk:—

Station from or to	Rate per ton. s.	d.
Oshodi ...	2	2
Agege ...	3	7
Agbado ...	4	11
Ijoko ...	6	0
Kajala ...	7	5
Olumu ...	8	3
Agbesi ...	10	5
Itori ...	11	3
Wasimi ...	12	4
New Owowo ...	14	0
Isawo ...	14	4
Alagada ...	15	2
Aro ...	16	9
Abeokuta ...	17	4
Lafenwa ...	17	4
Arikola ...	25	7
Sanushi ...	30	4
Opeji ...	31	0
Eruwa-Road ...	32	10
Olokemeji ...	34	2
Ogunshileh ...	35	6
Ilugun ...	38	9
Adio ...	41	5
Ibadan ...	44	11
Oyo Road ...	46	0
Olodo ...	48	10
Lalupon ...	51	1
Iwo ...	56	3
Ilegbo ...	58	9
Origo ...	61	11
Ede ...	64	0
Oshogbo ...	67	7
Ikirun ...	72	8
Okuku ...	76	0
Offa ...	79	7
Ila-Market ...	83	10
Gama ...	87	1
Ilorin ...	89	7

A terminal Charge of 2/6 per ton is charged on all bookings to and from Iddo.

Order No 37 of 1912, Government Gazette* No 82 of December, 11th 1912.

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta, 13th December, 1912.

*Southern Nigeria.

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24 **Monthly Abstract Account of Cash Receipts and**

No.	RECEIPTS.	In the month of August 1912. £ s. d.	From 1st April 1912 to 31st July 1912 £ s. d.	Total from 1st April 1912 to 31st Aug. 1912 £ s. d.
	Balance 1st April 1912	...	166,149 8 9	166,149 8 9
	Balance 1st August 1912 ...	146,560 9 2	...	...
1	Customs	3,308 3 1	8,009 7 3	11,317 10 4
2	Land Revenue	20,427 0 1	28,132 3 3	48,559 3 4
3	Licences and Internal Revenue ...	296 4 2	1,442 10 6	1,738 14 8
4	Fees of Court, Payments for Specific Services and Reimbursements in aid	299 10 0	1,174 10 10	1,474 0 10
5	Post Office and Telegraphs	*0 2 0	2,469 13 2	2,469 11 2
6	Marine Services	1,127 5 3	5,001 14 2	6,128 19 5
7	Rents of Government Property ..	99 18 5	1,101 10 0	1,201 8 5
8	Mines	3,136 15 1	1,859 7 3	4,996 2 4
9	Miscellaneous Receipts	76 9 5	355 14 9	432 4 2
		28,771 3 6	49,546 11 2	78,317 14 8
10	Contribution from Southern Nigeria ...	...	35,000 0 0	35,000 0 0
	Total Local Revenue	28,771 3 6	84,546 11 2	113,317 14 8
11	Baro-Kano Railway Receipts ...	5,126 0 6	22,264 3 3	27,390 3 9
12	Bauchi Light Railway Receipts ...	1,894 1 6	5,288 2 3	7,182 3 9
	Total Local Revenue including Railway Receipts	35,791 5 6	112,098 16 8	147,890 2 2
13	Imperial Grant-in-aid	...	30,000 0 0	30,000 0 0
	Total Revenue	35,791 5 6	142,098 16 8	177,890 2 2
	Loan Account Southern Nigeria, Baro-Kano Railway Construction	37,000 0 0	...	37,000 0 0
	Loan Account Imperial Government, Bauchi Light Railway Construction	...	6,000 0 0	6,000 0 0
	Total including Loan Accounts ...	72,791 5 6	148,098 16 8	220,890 2 2
	Advances Repaid Baro-Kano Railway...	51,559 9 9	134,728 12 1	186,288 1 10
	Do. Bauchi Light Railway	21,737 12 8	...	21,737 12 8
	Do. Sundry	4,731 13 10	22,915 11 6	27,647 5 4
	Deposits, Sundry	11,376 15 5	49,743 10 3	61,120 5 8
	,, N. Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	26,716 18 9	26,716 18 9
	Drafts and Remittances	43,579 13 8	123,782 3 4	167,361 17 0
	Imprests	250 0 9	898 18 5	1,148 19 2
	Revenue Suspense Account	132 17 4	743 18 3	876 15 7
	Unallocated Stores Suspense Account P.W.D.	979 1 9	4,045 14 11	5,024 16 8
	Total Receipts	207,138 10 8	511,674 4 2	718,812 14 10
	Balance due to C.A. (Amount overpaid)	7,627 2 5	...	7,627 2 5
	Total including balance ...	361,326 2 3	677,823 12 11	892,589 6 0

*Deduct being Revenue Refunded.

Treasury,
Zungeru, 12th December, 1912.

Payments from 1st April 1912 to 31st August 1912.

Head No.	PAYMENTS.	In the month of August 1912. £ s. d.	From 1st April 1912 to 31st July 1912. £ s. d.	Total from 1st April 1912 to 31st Aug. 1912 £ s. d.
1	Pensions and Gratuities	416 13 4	2,882 12 0	3,299 5 4
2	Governor and Staff	284 8 0	1,265 8 8	1,549 16 8
3	Chief Secretary's Department ...	887 0 0	3,698 15 5	4,585 15 5
4	Provincial Administration	7,965 13 3	29,745 2 5	37,710 15 8
5	Treasury Department	458 15 0	2,314 3 11	2,772 18 11
6	Customs ,, ...	325 12 8	1,358 18 1	1,684 10 9
7	Audit ,, ...	225 0 0	1,273 1 8	1,498 1 8
8	Marine ,, ...	5,915 5 8	14,859 15 8	20,775 1 4
9	Legal ,, ...	223 5 0	872 12 7	1,095 17 7
10	Police ,, ...	2,478 5 10	9,396 16 4	11,875 2 2
11	Prisons ,, ...	1,087 3 11	3,838 8 4	4,925 12 3
12	Medical ,, ...	2,729 16 11	12,485 15 10	15,215 12 9
13	Sanitation ,, ...	132 8 4	737 11 1	869 19 5
14	Education ,, ...	147 4 9	655 6 10	802 11 7
15	Transport ,, ...	2,475 17 0	8,400 14 4	10,876 11 4
16	Military Expenditure	12,747 13 2	53,326 19 2	66,074 12 4
17	Miscellaneous Services	747 1 10	2,310 11 3	3,057 13 1
18	Posts and Telegraph Department ...	1,861 13 3	7,396 12 9	9,258 6 0
19	Agricultural Department	165 19 3	616 17 10	782 17 1
20	Public Works Department	935 18 5	3,800 15 4	4,736 13 9
21	Public Works Recurrent	1,033 14 2	3,976 10 0	5,010 4 2
22	Mines Department	219 17 9	749 13 8	969 11 5
23	Cantonments	49 0 0	385 1 5	434 1 5
24	Land and Survey Department ...	191 6 0	465 5 11	656 11 11
	Total Ordinary & Recurrent Expenditure...	43,704 13 6	166,813 10 6	210,518 4 0
25	Public Works Extraordinary ...	1,695 13 9	5,074 9 5	6,770 3 2
26	Telegraphs Extraordinary	272 5 9	1,032 9 9	1,304 15 6
28	Native Affairs	8,691 4 8	9,708 12 0	18,399 16 8
		54,363 17 8	182,629 1 8	236,992 19 4
29	Baro-Kano Railway—(Open lines) ...	4,132 17 6	27,889 0 11	32,021 18 5
30	Bauchi Light Railway ,, ...	937 7 11	3,479 17 11	4,417 5 10
31	Interest on Railway Loans	...	24,880 11 7	24,880 11 7
	Total Expenditure ...	59,434 3 1	238,878 12 1	298,312 15 2
	B. K. Railway Construction Expenditure	45,721 11 4	...	45,721 11 4
	Bauchi Light R'way ,, ,, ...	7,530 8 9	14,007 3 11	21,537 12 8
	Total including R'ways ,, ,, ...	112,686 3 2	252,885 16 0	365,571 19 2
	Advances Baro-Kano Railway ...	90,727 18 8	47,609 11 10	138,337 10 6
	,, Bauchi Light Railway ...	...	6,237 0 5	6,237 0 5
	,, Sundry	2,824 18 0	23,398 1 9	26,222 19 9
	Repayment of Deposits, Sundry ...	22,483 1 7	51,600 0 11	74,083 2 6
	Repayment of Deposits Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	6,900 0 0	16 18 9	6,916 18 9
	Drafts and Remittances	41,857 3 3	121,260 16 0	163,117 19 3
	Imprests	286 0 0	1,256 0 8	1,542 0 8
	Revenue Suspense Account... ...	57 8 10	257 10 5	314 19 3
	Unallocated Stores Suspense Acct. P.W.D.	6,078 7 7	5,741 7 0	11,819 14 7
	Investments, Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	20,000 0 0	20,000 0 0
	Investments, Public Officers' Guarantee Fund	..	1,000 0 0	1,000 0 0
	Total Payments ...	283,901 1 1	531,263 3 9	815,164 4 10
	Balance 31st July 1912	...	146,560 9 2	...
	Balance 31st August 1912 ...	77,425 1 2	...	77,425 1 2
	Total including Balance ..	361,326 2 3	677,823 12 11	892,586 6 0

J. H. BRATT,
Treasurer.

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NEWS CIRCULAR NO. 1

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 3RD JANUARY, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 1st January:—

Lieut. C. P. L. Marwood, Lieut. A. R. Peel, Sergt. Wilton, Sergt. D. Taylor, and Colour Sergt. W. G. Kerrison, N. N. R., Mr. H. P. Fyfe, Junior Asst. Treasurer, Mr. R. F. Bailey, Foreman of Works, P.W.D., Mr. G. R. Wingate, Asst. Collector of Customs, Mr. H. de. C. Matthews, 3rd class Resident, Lieut. C. N. Pillow, Marine Officer.

SAILINGS; BURUTU 1st January:—

Nil.

LAGOS, 2nd January:—

Capt. A. B. Priestley, Lieut. O. Oakes, Ar. Sergt. J. W. Swain, and Quartermaster Sergt. T. G. Beeton, N. N. R., Mr. E. H. Morris, Auditor, Mr. L. W. La Chard, Asst. Commissioner of Police.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 27th November 1912:
Lieut. A. F. Hordern, N. N. R.

BURUTU—28th November 1912:—
Dr. W. A. Trumper, Medical.

POSTINGS:—Mr. H. de C. Matthews Kano.

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No. 1. **EXTRAORDINARY.**

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Government Notice.

UNDER section 4 (3) of the Minerals Proclamation the Governor may in his discretion for good cause, refuse any application for an Exclusive Prospecting Licence or for prospecting rights, and under the public Proclamation dated October 31st 1912 the area known as the Bauchi Tin Mines was closed to prospecting and to the issue of new Mining Leases, except to such persons as could shew claim to special consideration as set forth in that Proclamation

It is therefore hereby notified for the information of those whom it may concern as follows:—

(*a*) The Chamber of Mines in London was notified of the closing of of the Mine field as from October 16th 1912, from which date up to January 15th a period of 13 weeks elapsed. This period has in the opinion of the Governor afforded sufficient time for any person, who had already left or was about to leave Europe for the purpose of prospecting in the Tin fields area, to reach the fields and to register his application for a prospecting right or an Exclusive Prospecting Licence on grounds of "special consideration". Subsequent to that date, therefore, it is improbable that any application will be entertained as falling within the grounds of special consideration as defined in the Proclamation.

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(*b*) For similar reasons persons actually in Northern Nigeria on November 1st, 1912, whether holders of prospecting rights or not, will be considered to have had a fully adequate period for registering applications for Exclusive Prospecting Licences or (if not already licensed) for prospecting rights prior to January 2nd. In their case since the notification was made on November 1st they had had on that date nine clear weeks for the purpose of registering applications. No Prospecting Licences applied for subsequent to January 2nd will therefore be granted in respect of the tinfields unless good grounds are shewn for special consideration.

(*c*) Persons who at the time of the Proclamation viz: on November 1st were holders of Exclusive Prospecting Licences may at any time prior to the termination of their licences apply for mining leases. Holders of Exclusive Prospecting Licences within the closed area which expire subsequent to November 1st, 1912 may apply for renewal, but the renewal if granted will be subject to the condition that no Lease will be granted for an area in such renewed Exclusive Prospecting Licence until the minefields are again declared open. Rent will be charged for an Exclusive Prospecting Licence renewed under these conditions, but the year for which it is granted will only commence from the date of the re-opening of the field.

The above regulations and conditions apply only to the area closed which is bounded by East longitude 8° to 9° 45' and North latitude 9° to 11° 15'.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

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Government Notices.

25 HIS Excellency desires to convey to the Chiefs who were present at the Durbar at Kano on January 1st to 3rd, his cordial appreciation of the admirable control exercised by all over their numerous following, with the result that not the slightest friction or disorder took place among so many thousands. It was in His Excellency's judgment a wonderful and significant testimony to the efficiency of the Native Administrations. For his own part the Governor deeply appreciates the welcome accorded to him on his return to Northern Nigeria, and earnestly trusts that the Native Administrations may continue to prosper during his tenure of Office.

Residents will be good enough to make known the foregoing to the Chiefs in their provinces.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

26 **Memorandum.**

DEFINING THE CONSTITUTION, DUTIES AND POWERS OF THE WEST AFRICAN CURRENCY BOARD

1. The West African Currency Board has been constituted to provide for and to control the supply of currency to the British West African Colonies and Protectorates, to ensure that the currency is maintained in satisfactory condition, and generally to watch over the interests of the dependencies in question so far as currency is concerned.

2. The members of the Board and the Secretary are appointed by the Secretary of State.

3. The Board will have power to appoint officers for the discharge of such duties in connection with currency in the United Kingdom or in West Africa and at such rates of salary as the Board may think fit, subject in each case to the approval of the Secretary of State.

4. The Board is authorised to incur expenditure necessary for the due performance of such duties as are now or may be hereafter assigned to them.

5. The Board will have authority to make all necessary arrangements for the minting of any special coins authorised for circulation in the British West African dependencies, and to comply with applications for the supply of any coins at the time being legally current in those dependencies. They will also arrange for the supply of currency in exchange for United Kingdom silver coins now circulating in West Africa, and for the repatriation of the latter coins and their exchange for gold.

6. The Board may charge for coin to be delivered in West Africa against prepayment in London such premium above the nominal value not exceeding the actual cost of transporting specie (packing, carriage, insurance), as they may think fit and within this limit may vary the charge from time to time. If coin is delivered by telegraphic order to West Africa the Board may increase the premium as they see fit. In West Africa, silver given by the Board in exchange for gold presented there will be issued at par.

7. The Board will when required arrange for the issue against silver tendered in West Africa of drafts payable in gold in London at a charge not exceeding the cost of transporting gold from West Africa to London and for the issue of telegraphic transfers on London on such terms as they may think fit.

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8. The Board will maintain in London against the silver coinage a reserve of gold and securities hereafter referred to as the "gold standard reserve."

9. The proportion of such reserve held in gold shall not fall below a limit to be fixed from time to time by the Secretary of State.

10. Initially the Board will provide themselves with funds by means of loans from the West African Governments or otherwise obtained on such terms as they may think fit.

11. All profit on the issue of currency and all other revenue of the Board which is not required for loan charges or for administrative or other expenses of the Board will be credited to the gold standard reserve, provided that, when the Board are satisfied and shall have satisfied the Secretary of State that the gold standard reserve is sufficient to ensure the convertibility of the silver currency, the Board may pay over the whole or any part of the surplus amount in aid of the revenues of the West African Governments in such proportions as may be hereafter determined.

12. The Board will submit annually for the approval of the Secretary of State a statement of their transactions during the preceding year.

13. The accounts of all the transactions of the Board will be audited by the Colonial Audit Department.

14. The portion of the gold standard reserve authorised to be invested may be invested in securities of the Government of any part of His Majesty's Dominions, or in such other manner as the Secretary of State may approve.

15. If a note issue or note issues are hereafter established in the West African dependencies the Board will undertake such functions and duties in connection with the regulation and working of the note issue or issues as may be assigned to them by the legislation with regard thereto.

Approved.

L. HARCOURT.

6th December 1912.

27

IT is notified for general information that Government Officials may not act as Agents for the purchase of goods for Native Chiefs or other Natives either in England or elsewhere whether the orders for the goods are on a credit basis or for cash.

28

IT is notified for information that the date of promotions of Messrs. K. V. Elphinstone and F. B. Gall, is antedated to June 25th 1912.

(Vide Gazette No. 20 of 1912 Notice No. 639.)

29 **Duty.**

Colour Sergeant H. W. Johnson, 1st Bn. N. N. Regt. has been temporarily attached to Brigade Office for duty, during the absence on leave of Quartermaster Sergeant T. G. Beeton, with effect from 1st January 1913.

30 **Errata.**

Notice No. 691 Gazette No. 22 of 1912 the date of appointment of Mr. N. A. W. Hine Asst. Auditor, is 13th November 1912 and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 666 Gazette No. 21 of 1912, the date of transfer of Mr. A. D. Hamlyn, is 22nd October 1912, and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 767 Gazette No. 24 of 1912, Mr. J. S. Arthur was a Learner in the Chief Secretary's Office, and transferred to the Treasury as a 4th Grade Clerk with effect from the 22nd November 1912, and not as stated therein.

The period of extension of leave of Lieut. T. R. Bowlby, 1st Bn. N. N. Regt., should be to 15th September 1912, and not as stated in Notice No. 557 of Gazette No. 17 of 14th September 1912.

31 **Obituary.**

HIS Excellency the Governor deeply regrets to announce the death of Mr. I. T. Johnson, Head Painter, P.W.D., which occurred at Zungeru on the 20th December 1912.

HIS Excellency the Governor deeply regrets to announce the death of Mr. M. A. X. Thomas, 2nd Grade Clerk, Marine, which occurred at Lokoja on the 12th January, 1913.

32

Rise and Fall of River Benue.

FOR THE MONTH ENDING NOVEMBER 30TH 1912

Date.	RIVER BENUE.			
	Ibi.		Abinsi.	
	Rise ins.	Fall ins.	Rise ins.	Fall ins.
1st to the 2nd - -	—	24	—	6
week ending 10th -	—	15	—	14
do. 17th -	—	15	—	10
do. 24th -	—	17	—	9½
25th to the 30th - -	—	14	—	10
Total Fall ...	85" (7ft. 1ins.)		49½" (4ft'. 1½"ins.)	

33

DAILY RISE AND FALL OF RIVER NIGER, FOR MONTH ENDING 31ST. DECEMBER. 1912.

STATION LOKOJA.

Date.	Rise.	Fall.	Total		Remarks.
	ins.	ins.	ft.	ins.	
1	—	—	12	4	
2	—	10	11	6	
3	—	1	11	5	
4	—	—	11	5	
5	—	3	11	2	
6	—	—	11	2	
7	—	1	11	1	
8	—	—	11	1	
9	—	2	10	11	
10	—	—	10	11	
11	—	3	10	8	
12	—	—	10	8	
13	—	2	10	6	
14	—	1	10	5	
15	—	2	10	3	
16	—	3	10	0	
17	—	—	10	0	
18	—	—	10	0	
19	—	2	9	10	
20	—	1	9	9	
21	—	—	9	9	
22	—	—	9	9	
23	—	3	9	6	
24	—	—	9	6	
25	—	—	9	6	
26	—	3	9	3	
27	—	—	9	3	
28	—	2	9	1	
29	—	—	9	1	
30	—	3	8	10	
31	—	1	8	9	
	3ft. 7ins.		Total Fall 3ft. 7ins.		

34

Allowance of Proclamation.

THE Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies has notified the Governor that the power of disallowance will not be exercised with respect to the undermentioned Proclamation of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria.

No. 10 of 1912, entitled "The Wild Animals Amendment Proclamation 1912."

By His Excellency's Command,

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria
31st January, 1913.

35

In the Supreme Court of Northern Nigeria.

NOTICE is hereby given that Joshua John Peel, Esquire, Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Judicature of England, has been admitted and enrolled as Barrister and Solicitor of the Supreme Court of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria on the 24th day of December 1912.

C. D. NELSON,
Chief Registrar.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
16th January, 1913.

36

In the matter of the Estate of the late John Falade *alias* Bouraima-Adende (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby giving that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late John Falade *alias* Bouraima-Adende deceased, who died at Lokoja on the 9th day of October 1912 intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Captain E. J. Wolseley, Northern Nigeria Regiment at Lokoja Provisional Administrator on or before the 15th day of February 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 4th day of January, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

37

In the matter of the Estate of the late Isaac T. Johnson, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby giving that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Isaac T. Johnson deceased, who died at Zungeru on the 20th day of December 1912 intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 15th day of February 1913, after which date I shall

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proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 4th day of January, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

38

In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. Francis, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby giving that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Francis deceased who died at Zaria on the 19th day of December 1912 intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Assistant Resident W. H. Sykes the Provisional Administrator at Zaria on or before the 15th day of February 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 8th day of January, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

39 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Mr. B. E. B. Shaw *	Assistant Conservator of Forests	Agricultural	1st April 1912	1st April 1912
Mr. Harold Preston Fyfe	Junior Assistant Treasurer	Treasury	1st January 1913	18th January 1913.
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. Richard Emil Niboi Quartey ...	4th Grade Clerk	Political and Administrative	17th July 1912	19th July 1912
Mr. J. O. Alumonah	Unclassified Clerk...	Marine	11th Oct. 1912	Engaged locally.
Mr. Alfred Augustus Baikie ...	4th Grade Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist ...	Postal and Telegraphs ...	1st Dec. 1912	do.
Mr. Joseph Godwyl	do.	do.	9th Dec. 1912	do.
Mr. Isaac Augustus Neizer	Learner	Chief Secretary's ...	16th Sept. 1912	do.

* Hitherto served as Forestry Officer.

40 **Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Lieutenant D. Greig	Political and Administrative ...	Asst. Govt. Inspector of Mines ..	21st August 1912.	
Major W. Hamilton Browne	do. ...	Resident Kontagora	23rd November 1912.	
Mr. K. V. Elphinstone	do. ...	Resident Kabba	17th December 1912	
Mr. A. C. Francis	do. ...	Resident Zaria	21st December 1912.	
Mr. G. W. Webster	do. ...	Resident Yola	11th January 1913.	
Mr. F. S. Merrick	Police.	Inspector-General of Police ...	15th January 1913.	

41 **Confirmation of Appointments.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. J. Sutherland Brown	District Engineer	Public Works	19th September 1908.	
Mr. H. O. Lindsell	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative	10th April 1909.	
Mr. R. M. Blackwood	do.	do. do. ...	19th March 1910.	

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42 Leave of Absence.

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the date mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months.	Vacation. Days.	Return. Months.	Return. Days.	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Lieut. A. W. Hunt, R.N.R.	Assistant Marine Superintendent	2	20	2	—	15th Jan. 1913	—	Full salary.
Capt. A. E. Johnson D.S.O.	Inspector-General of Police	2	30	2	—	—	16th Jan. 1913	do.
Mr. W. Morgan	Assistant Resident	2	20	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. C. C. Gerahty	do.	2	10	2	—	—	23rd Jan. 1913	do.
Mr. F. W. P. Soper	Assistant Commissioner of Police	2	10	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. H. E. Hicks	Chauffeur, Governor's Office	2	40	—	—	—	do.	do.
Miss J. A. Clark	Nurse, Medical	—	50	—	50	—	do.	do.
Dr. J. Lindsay	Medical Officer	2	10	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. St. C. E. Stobart	Assistant Resident	2	30	2	—	—	26th Jan. 1913	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. T. W. Palmer	4th Grade Clerk, Pol. & Administrative	3	—	—	—	25th Dec. 1912	—	Full salary. Sierra Leone
Mr. C. Biney	3rd Grade Clerk, do.	3	—	—	—	22nd Jan. 1913	—	do. Cape Coast.

43 Extension of Leave.

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Dr. H. G. McKinney	Medical Officer	1 month & 12 days	14th Feb. 1913	25th March 1913	Half salary. To have his mouth put in order.
Mr. G. A. Wileman	Chief Foreman, Nigerian Railway	2 weeks	10th Dec. 1912	23rd Dec. 1912	Half salary. Ill health.
Mrs. H. M. Jones	Nurse, Medical	3 months & 1 week	29th Nov. 1912	7th Mar. 1913	do. do.
Mr. R. C. Jeffrey	Dredging Master, Marine	6 weeks	14th Dec. 1912	24th Jan. 1913	do. do.
Mr. G. R. Matthews	Principal Assistant Secretary	1 month & 3 weeks	15th Dec 1912	4th Feb. 1913	do. do.
Mr. C. S. Burnett	Assistant Resident	1 week	21st Dec. 1912	27th Dec. 1912	Without salary. Urgent private affairs.
Mr. C. S. Burnett	do	11 days	28th Dec. 1912	7th Jan. 1913	do. do.
Mr. C. L. Anderson	Assistant Treasurer	1 month	11th Jan. 1913	10th Feb. 1913	Half salary. Ill health.
Dr. A. J. T. Swann	Medical Officer	2 months & 14 days	5th Mar. 1913	18th May 1913	do. For purposes of study.
NATIVE STAFF.					
Mr. B. Bentoom	3rd Grade Clerk, Customs	16 days	29th Sept. 1912	14th Oct. 1912	Half salary.

44 Resumption of Duty.

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Mr. H. de C. Matthews	3rd Class Resident	Political & Administrative	18th January 1913.	
Lieut. C. N. Pillow	Marine Officer	Marine	20th January 1913	
Dr. B. Moiser	Medical Officer	Medical	24th January 1913	
Mr. C. S. Burnett	Assistant Resident	Political & Administrative	do.	
Miss M. E. Thomson	Nurse	Medical	25th January 1913	
Mr. M. A. Postance	Shipwright	Marine	do.	
Mr. J. F. Robins	Fitter & Smith	do.	do.	
Mr. R. C. Jeffrey	Dredging Master	do.	do.	
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. B. Bentoom	3rd Grade Clerk	Customs	18th October 1912.	
Mr. W. J. Williams	2nd Class Compositor	Printing	11th January 1913.	
Mr. Emeter	Traffic Clerk	Nigerian Railway	31st December 1912.	
Mr. I. A. G. Lawani	4th Grade Clerk	Customs	14th January 1913.	
Mr. Thomas Marshall	2nd Grade Clerk	Chief Secretary's	21st January 1913.	

45 Promotions.

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
Mr. J. Sutherland Brown	Assistant Engineer	District Engineer	Public Works	1st April 1912.
Mr. A. C. Ridsdale	Deputy Director of Public Works	Director of Public Works	do.	3rd October 1912.
Mr. G. O. Nugent	Assistant Secretary	2nd Assistant Secretary	Chief Secretary's	22nd October 1912.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. W. C. Appiah	4th Grade Sorting Clerk & Telegraphist	3rd Grade Sorting Clerk & Telegraphist	Postal and Telegraphs	1st April 1912.
Mr. E. Commeh	Learner	4th Grade Clerk	Treasury	22nd November 1912.
Mr. I. A. Neizer	do.	do.	Chief Secretary's	1st January 1913.

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46 **Transfers.**

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Mr. H. H. Brealy	Foreman of Works, Public Works Ext. ...	Public Works Departmental Staff	Foreman of Works	1st April 1912.
Mr. J. D. Littlewood ...	do. do. ...	do. ..	do.	do.
Mr. N. E. Ritchie	do. do. ...	do. ...	do.	do.
Mr. T. J. Waters *	2nd Grade Assistant Engineer, Nigerian Railway ...	Land and Survey ...	Surveyor	3rd October 1912.
Mr. H. M. Irwin	Assistant Resident	Chief Secretary's Office	3rd Assistant Secretary ...	22nd October 1912.
Mr. W. Scott-Evans ...	2nd Assistant Secretary . ..	Southern Nigeria ...	1st Assistant Secretary ...	do.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. N. F. Davies	3rd Grade Clerk, Police	Transport	2nd Grade Clerk	10th June 1912.
Mr. S. Paul	do. do.	do.	3rd Grade Clerk	1st January 1913.
Mr. E. N. F. Davies	2nd Grade Clerk, Transport	Police	2nd Grade Clerk	do.
Mr. T. P. P. Hughes † ...	1st Class Compositor, Nigerian Railway (Printing)	Printing (Chief Secretary's)	1st Class Compositor ...	3rd January 1913.
Mr. I. A. Wray	2nd Class do. do. do. ...	do. ...	2nd Class Compositor ...	do.
Mr. T. E. Thorp-Wise ...	3rd Class do. do. do. ...	do. ...	3rd Class Compositor ...	do.
Mr. E. B. Ellis	4th Grade Clerk, Political & Administrative	Audit	3rd Grade Clerk	8th November 1912.

* To remain subject to the conditions laid down in his Agreement with the Crown Agents. † Retransferred from Nigerian Railway.

47 **Re-absorptions.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of re-absorption into his British Regiment.	Remarks.
BRITISH N. C. Os.				
Sergeant C. M. Pickup, R.A.M.C. ...	Sergeant	Medical	24th November 1912.	
Sergeant R. J. McKay	do.	do.	29th November 1912.	

48 **Permanent Staff.**

The undermentioned Native Official, having completed three years service is, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor, placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the date stated against his name :—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. E. W. C. Appiah	3rd Grade Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist ...	Postal and Telegraphs ...	1st April 1909 ...	

49 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed :—

Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Mr. T. A. G. Budgen ...	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	Higher Standard Progress	3rd November 1912.
Mr. F. M. Urling-Smith ...	Senior Superintendent ...	Education	Lower Standard Progress	23rd December 1912.
Lieut. A. P. Garnier	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	Colloquial Test ...	2nd January 1913.
Lieut. S. H. Drummond ...	do.	do.	do.	10th January 1913.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. L. Baddoo	4th Grade Clerk	Political & Administrative ...	Colloquial Test ...	29th November 1912.

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50 **Resignations.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. T. M. Lowry	Assistant Inspector of Mines ...	Mines	25th October 1912.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Matthew	Dresser	Medical	27th December 1912 ...	

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

51 **Power of Commanding Officer.**

Under the provisions of Proclamation No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter XVIII, section 40, the Commandant, Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, has, with the concurrence of the Governor, conferred the Power of Commanding Officer on the following Officer:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Whilst Commanding Detachment at	Date of Warrant.	Remarks.
Lieut. R. C. Westall	2nd Bn. N. N. Regt. ...	Nafada	22nd January 1913. ...	—

52 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Lieut. Charles Philip Lysaght Marwood, Royal Warwickshire Regiment	Company Officer... ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	1st January 1913 ...	18th Jannary 1913.
Lieut. Alan Charles Peel, South Wales Borderers ...	do.	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	do. ...	20th January 1913.
BRITISH N.C.Os.				
Sergeant Douglas Taylor, Scottish Rifles	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	Mounted Infantry, N.N.R.	do. ...	18th January 1913.
Sergeant Ernest John Wilton, King's Royal Rifle Corps ...	do. ..	1st Bn., N. N. R. ..	do. ...	do.

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

53 **Resumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date.
Lieutenant R. B. Clifton	Company Officer	Mounted Infantry, N. N. Regt. ...	24th January 1913.
BRITISH N. C. O.			
Colour Sergt. W. G. Kerrison	Colour Sergeant	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	18th January 1913.

54 **Promotions.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	With effect from
BRITISH N. C. Os.			
Sergeant F. W. Dean	1st Rating Sergt., 1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Colour Sergeant	13th May 1912.
Sergeant T. A. Buller	2nd Rating Sergt. 1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	1st Rating Sergeant	4th September 1912.

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Leave of Absence.

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LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers, as regards those proceeding to England, from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the date mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months	Days	Months	Days			
Lieut. F. J. L. Cogan ..	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	2 ...	30 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	16th Jan. 1913	Full Salary.
Capt. W. J. Terry	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	10 —	2 ...	— ...	22nd Jan. 1913	—	do.
Lieut. S. H. Drummond ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ..	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	23rd Jan. 1913	do.
BRITISH N.C.O's.								
Colour Sergt. C. W. Channell ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	23rd Jan. 1913	do.
Invalided.								
2/Sergt. S. F. J. Ward ..	do.	—	—	—	—	— ...	16th Jan. 1913	—

Extension of Leave.

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Rank and Name.	Unit.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Capt. A. W. C. Knox ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	—	29th Dec. 1912	8th Feb. 1913	Ill-health. Army rate.
Captain F. Fairlie ...	do. ...	—	9th Jan. 1913 ...	10th Mar. 1913...	do. do.

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

Transfer.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Lieut. R. B. Clifton	Company Officer ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Mounted Infantry, N.N.R ...	Company Officer ...	8th January 1913.

Re-absorptions.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of reabsorption into British Regiment.	Remarks.
Captain C. C. West	Company Commander ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	19th November 1912.	
Lieutenant C. P. James	Company Officer ...	do. ...	5th November 1912.	

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NEWS CIRCULAR No. 2.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 15TH JANUARY 1913.

SAILINGS LIVERPOOL, 8th January:—

Miss. M. E. Thomson, Nurse Medical, Lieut. R. B. Clifton, and Civil Armourer R. Hill, N. N. R. Messrs. M. A. Postance, Shipwright, J. F. Robins, Fitter & Smith, and R. C. Jeffrey, Dredging Master, Marine, Dr. B. Moiser, Medical Officer, Mr. C. S. Burnett, Assistant Resident.

SAILINGS BURUTU 8TH January:—

Mr. G. McGregor, Asst. Resident, Sergt. J. C. Turner, N. N. R.

LAGOS 9th January:—

Lieut. A. F. P. Knapp, N. N. R. Capt. S. C. Tailor, Assistant Resident.

LAGOS 11th January, (Woermann Line):—

Mr. L. R. Bradley, Accountant and Storekeeper, P. W. D.

ARRIVALS LAGOS 3RD JANUARY:—

Capt. A. S. Lawrance, Assistant, Resident, Saddler Sergt. A. W. Jones, N. N. R. Mr. H. R. Palmer, Commissioner for Native Revenue, from Grand Canary.

ARRIVALS BURUTU 4TH JANUARY:—

Nil.

POSTINGS:—Burnett Horin.

H. E. and Staff left Kano 10th inst. for Rahama and Naraguta.

NEWS CIRCULAR NO. 3.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU 17TH JANUARY, 1913.

SAILINGS: LIVERPOOL 11th January Woerman Line:—

Capt. W. J. Maule, N. N. R.

15th January:—

Mr. C. Wrightson, Engineer, Marine, Lieut. W. T. Wyllie, Sergts. C. L. Chandless, and W. Hunsworth, N. N. R.

SAILINGS: BURUTU, 15th January:—

Mr. T. H. Haughton, Asst. Resident, Mr. A. W. Hunt, Asst. Marine Superintendent, Corpl. F. Smith, Anglo-German Boundary Commission (invalided).

LAGOS. 16th January:—

Lieut. F. J. L. Cogan, Sergt. S. F. J. Ward, N. N. R., Capt. A. E. Johnson, I. G. Police, Mr. W. Morgan, Asst. Resident.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS. 11th January:—

Mr. H. Gush, Asst. Auditor, Dr. A. J. M Crichton, Medical Officer, Mr. T. B. Philips, Asst. Treasurer.

BURUTU. 12th January:—

Nil.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 4.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 25TH JANUARY, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 22nd January:—

Miss M. A. Ward, Nurse Medical, Dr. C. E. S. Watson, Senior Medical Officer, Lieutenants B. C. Ash, F. R. Pollock, Battery Sergeant Major T. A. Vise, N.N.R., Mr. A. E. Goodwin, Asst. Keeper of Gaols, Sergt. T. E. Oliver, R.A.M.C., Staff Sergeant, Medical, Mr. J. A. Ley-Greaves, 2nd Class Resident, Mr. V. F. Biscoe, Asst. Resident.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 22nd January:—

Capt. W. J. Terry, N.N.R.

LAGOS, 23rd January:—

Mr. C. C. Gerahty, Asst. Resident, Mr. H. E Hicks, Chauffeur, Governor's Office, Lieut. S. H. Drummond, & Colour-Sergeant C. W. Channell, N.N.R., Miss J. A. Clark, Nurse, Medical, Dr. J. Lindsay, Medical Officer, Mr. F. W. P. Soper, Asst. Commissioner of Police.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 18th January:—

Mr. H. de C. Matthews, 3rd Class Resident, Sergts. Wilton, D. Taylor, Lieut. C. P. L. Marwood, Colour-Sergt. W. G. Kerrison, N.N.R., Mr. H. P. Fyfe, Jr. Asst. Treasurer, Mr. R. F. Bailey, Foreman of Works, P.W.D.

ARRIVALS; BURUTU, 20th January:—

Lieut. A. R. Peel, N.N.R., Lieut. C. N. Pillow, Marine Officer.

POSTINGS:—Biscoe Niger, Ley-Greaves Kabba.

H. E. and Staff returned Zungeru from Naraguta and Kaduna today.

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Northern Nigeria.

No. 5.

KANO,
NORTHERN NIGERIA,
5TH JANUARY, 1913.

SIR,

I have the honour to report to you regarding the attitude of the Native Chiefs of Northern Nigeria, as I have found it on my return to this country. I received an enormous number of letters of welcome from Chiefs of all ranks, and, as time does not admit of my visiting the different Emirates, I thought the best course would be to summon them to meet me at Kano on New Year's Day. The number of horsemen and followers which each might bring was limited, in order neither to strain their own resources nor the food supply of Kano; in many, or most cases, however, the limit fixed was probably considerably exceeded. For a like reason the "Gaisua" or Salutation present was not allowed to exceed one horse.

2. I arrived at Kano on the evening of December 31st, the Emir with a following of horsemen riding out to meet my train near the city. On the morning of the 1st January a review had been arranged. All the Emirs and Chiefs with their retinues and horsemen were disposed on the great Kano plain in an oval one mile and a quarter round. In the centre of this the troops, including Artillery, Infantry and Mounted Infantry, to the number of 823, were drawn up in review order. After an inspection of the troops and the usual "March past"—in which the gallop past of the Mounted Infantry was particularly striking and well done—each Emir with his horsemen and followers in a dense mass walked past a stand which had been erected on the ground. Each unit was entirely distinct and separated from the one which preceded and the one which followed it, and each was entirely distinct in the dresses and the characteristics of the individuals who composed it. Many Bornu horsemen were entirely clad in chain armour; the trumpets and other instruments of music or noise varied with each. Some had Court jesters in fantastic garb, mounted or unmounted, who capered and danced around the Emir, others had bands of led horses caparisoned in gorgeous cloths of gold, &c. The equipment and the colouring were as varied as they were picturesque. Not the least interesting and instructive,—albeit extremely amusing, were the bands of almost nude Pagans who danced past, yelling and brandishing clubs, and engaging in mimic warfare, half frenzied with excitement and delight. That these men should have left their fastnesses and come unarmed to join in a Fulani gathering without fear, could not fail to arrest the attention and strike the imagination. Such a thing was not possible or even conceivable a few years ago. The number of horsemen who took part in this spectacular display is estimated by some at 15,000, by others as high as 30,000. The multitude of footmen it is impossible to guess at.

3. When the last of this long procession of massed groups had passed, in order of importance, each Emir and Chief, with a band of selected horsemen numbering from a score to a hundred, formed up facing the stand to proffer his salute in the manner of the desert. Charging down at full gallop in a whirlwind of dust, with cries of triumph and of salutation, they drew up their horses on their haunches a few yards or feet in front of me. The Emir dismounted—the principal Emirs, with a refinement of courtesy, taking off their shoes—and prostrated himself with his face on the ground, speaking his words of greeting and welcome meanwhile. Mounting again, he led off his men and was replaced by the next wild charge of horsemen. Finally the Pagans, in imitation of their quondam slave-raiders, executed the same, leaping high in the air and displaying extraordinary agility.

4. When the salute was over, all the Chiefs dismounted and grouped themselves in front of me and I shook hands with each principal Emir (eight of whom were seated on the lower step of the stand). I then made a short address to them—of which I enclose a copy. It was translated into Hausa by the Resident, Mr. Gowers, and a herald shouted it to the people. It was received with satisfaction and the Chiefs remounted and returned with their respective followings to the town. The Chiefs present at the Durbar are given in Enclosure 2. The Emir of Sokoto had much desired to be present, but he considered that, on political grounds, it would have been unwise for him to leave his Province, and I concurred. He was represented by the Waziri.

Enclosure 1.
Enclosure 2.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE,
LEWIS HARCOURT, M.P.,
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.
&c., &c., &c.,

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5. Next day I received each Chief separately in audience, reserving for a second and private interview, in the case of the more important Emirs, the discussion of any matters which they might wish to bring forward.

In the afternoon I visited the town, where the Emir met me and showed me over his residence (which I myself had occupied after the fall of Kano in 1903). He then showed me personally over the prison, which had accommodation for about 600 but is occupied at present by 224. It is scrupulously clean, airy and excellent in every way, and he was manifestly proud of it. I am told that the Principal Medical Officer goes so far as to say that it is a model for British prisons in West Africa. I venture to refer you to my report to your predecessor (Anual Report for 1902) of the description of the Kano prison on the arrival of the British in February 1903, which reads as follows:—

"I visited the dungeon myself. A small doorway 2 feet 6 inches by 1 foot 6 inches gives access into it. The interior is divided (by a thick mud wall with a similar hole through it) into two compartments, each 17 feet by 7 feet and 11 feet high. This wall was pierced with holes at its base through which the legs of those sentenced to death were thrust up to the thigh, and they were left to be trodden on by the mass of other prisoners till they died of thirst and starvation. The place is entirely airtight and unventilated except for the one small doorway, or rather hole, in the wall through which you creep. The total space inside is 2,618 cubic feet, and at the time we took Kano 135 human beings were confined here each night, being let out during the day to cook their food, &c., in a small adjoining area. Recently as many as 200 have been interned at one time. As the superficial ground area was only 238 square feet there was not, of course, even standing room. Victims were crushed to death every night and their corpses were hauled out each morning. The stench, I am told, inside the place when Colonel Morland visited it was intolerable though it was empty, and when I myself went inside three weeks later the effluvium was unbearable for more than a few seconds. A putrid corpse even then lay near the doorway. It was here that the two West African Frontier Force soldiers were confined."

6. The contrast between the old and the new condition of things was hardly less emphasised in other directions.

From the prison the Emir led us to the new Beit-el-Mal, or Treasury and Accounting office, where some £5,000 in cash, with grain and other convertible treasure, was stored.

Thence we proceeded to the market place, which had been devised and laid out by Mr. Temple, and where now 750 covered stalls, in addition to raised open platforms, accommodate the sellers, in place of the open, wind and dust-swept plain, reeking with every kind of wind-borne filth, which I remember when I last saw Kano. It is kept wonderfully clean, and indeed I have never been in a native city, in Africa, India or China, so free from obnoxious smells, and so sanitary in its methods.

7. On the third day I completed the interviews with the Chiefs, in the case of some of the minor ones receiving them in groups. In all there were 48 separate interviews. In each separate case, after asking after the prosperity of their districts, I invited the Chiefs to lay before me any matter which he desired to bring forward. All assured me with the greatest emphasis that everything was entirely satisfactory, prosperous and peaceful. One or two revived ancient claims to the territory of an adjoining Chief, or some other local matter, and, where I could not at once reply, I promised full investigation.

8. I then conversed in succession and informally with the Waziri of Sokoto, the Shehu of Bornu, and Emirs of Kano, Gwando, Katsina, Zaria, Bida, and Yola. To Sokoto and Gwando, I alluded to the recent fighting in Europe and North Africa against Turkey, a Mohammedan Power, and told them that the British had no part in it except as peacemakers, and I warned them to be on the look out for emissaries spreading false reports. To the Shehu, who desired the establishment of schools in Bornu, and to Sokoto, Katsena and Zaria, I spoke of education, and the great importance of training men of the country to take their place as clerks and artisans in Government employ instead of importing aliens from Sierra Leone, Accra, and the Coast. I spoke also to Sokoto and Bornu of the great need of

afforestation on the Northern frontier to arrest the encroachment of the Desert, and urged them to preserve the existing acacias and tamarinds, which the Asbenawa are destroying to obtain fodder for their camels. Katsena, the most progressive and intelligent of the Emirs, raised questions of instruction in agriculture and surveying, and relative to the keeping of stud farms and ostriches. I enquired of those Emirs in whose territories there were mission establishments, whether they had any cause of complaint, and they assured me they had none. I referred also to emigration from Bornu into German territory, and to methods of collection of the Jangali tax, &c.

9. In the afternoon native sports had been arranged. The Emirs and principal Chiefs sat together on their carpets and mats in a semi-circle, while thousands of their horsemen and followers thronged the plain and lined the course. Horse races for representative horsemen of different Emirates, camel races, and foot races for Pagans were arranged, and were followed by various very picturesque dances, and acrobatic displays by troupes from different provinces, accompanied by trumpets, horns and music from scores of unnameable instruments. The dancing women of the Shehu's Court in Bornu were followed by the picturesque Hoe dancers of Zaria, and naked groups of Pagans and others formed circles of their own and carried on their own particular form of African dance. Contortionists and acrobats from Ilorin, and wrestlers and pugilists from the Dass and Angass tribes gave exhibitions and were rewarded liberally with the greatly valued kola nuts. At sundown the great host drew off and returned to their quarters.

10. Such an assembly as this has never taken place before in the recorded—nor probably in the unrecorded—history of the country, and its significance is great. The Shehu of Bornu was to be seen chatting on friendly terms with his quondam Fulani enemies, and the territorial quarrels of the various Emirs were buried and forgotten. Pagans, who were formerly killed or captured at sight by the slave-raiding Moslems, mixed freely and joyously in the crowd of horsemen. Although it is impossible but that the followers of the different Emirs must have felt much heart-burning and rivalry as regards the precedence and the dignity of their Chiefs, it is wonderful that neither at the various functions, nor in coming to or leaving the ground, has a single squabble—much less an emeute—occurred.

11. I attach a few photographs which may be of interest.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble Servant,

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

Enclosure 1 to Despatch No. 5 of 5th January, 1913.

To the Emirs and Chiefs of Northern Nigeria, who have come from the North and the South and the East and the West to welcome me, salutations and greeting.

It gives me great pleasure to meet you all again after an absence of over six years, and to find that you have prospered since I left you, and that the country has remained in peace and good government.

It is my earnest hope that, so long as I am Governor, your prosperity may continually increase and your people may live in peace and contentment.

When the British first came into this country I told you that your religion would be respected and not interfered with, and that it would be my aim to uphold the authority of the Chiefs so long as they were loyal to the King and listened to my instructions through the Residents and were worthy of my confidence. Those pledges have been fulfilled, and I believe that none of you, from the greatest to the least, has cause of complaint on these grounds. And for my part, though absent, I have constantly heard the news of the condition of affairs here, and I am glad to be able to congratulate you on the loyalty and the wisdom which you have shewn in ruling over your people with the assistance of Government. May God give you all Peace and Prosperity.

F. D. LUGARD
Governor.

KANO
1st January, 1913.

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Enclosure 2 to Governor's Despatch No. 5 of 5th January 1913.

KANO DURBAR, 1ST JANUARY 1913.

ORDER OF NATIVE CHIEFS.

Province.	Emirate or Independent Unit.	Principal Representatives.
Kano	Kano	Emir
Sokoto	Sokoto	Waziri and Maigandi (Emir's eldest son)
Bornu	Bornu	Shehu
	Fika	
	Bedde	
Sokoto	Gando	Emir
	Argungu	Dan Galadima
		Lelaba (Emir's son)
	Illo	Sariki
Kano	Katsina	Emir
Zaria	Zaria	Emir
Niger	Bida	Emir
	Gwari	Sariki
	Agaie	Emir
	Lapai	Emir
	Wushishi	Sariki
	Kogo	Galadima
	Kuta	Sariki
	Bosso	Sariki
Central	Bauchi	Emir
	Gombe	Emir
	Ningi	Sariki
	Ari	Sariki
	Warji	"
	Burra	"
	Kanam	"
Yola	Yola	Emir
"	Shelen	Sariki
"	Betsama	"
Ilorin	Ilorin	Bawa (Emir's heir)
	Pateji	Etsu
	Lafiaji	Potun
	Ajassepo	Olupo
	Sharegi	Nda Poto
Kontagora	Kontagora	Emir
	Boussa	Emir
	Kaiama	Envoys
	Sakaba	Sariki
Kano	Katagum	Emir
	Hadeija	"
	Daura	"
	Gumel	"
	Kazaure	"
	Messau	"
	Jemaari	"
	Dambam	"
Muri	Muri	Emir
	Wase	Sariki
	Ibi	Sariki
Nassarawa	Nassarawa	Emir
	Keffi	"
	Jemaa Dororo	"
	Abuja	"
	Lafia Beriberi	Ubangari (Emir's deputy)
	PAGANS ON FOOT	
Bassa	Dekina	Umoru (Chief)
	Igara	Onu Abanodu (Sub-chief)
	Bassa Komo	Akuba (Chief)
Zaria Pagans	(under Emir of Zaria)	
	Piti	
	Jaba	
	Kurama	
	Gwari	
Central	Waja	Sariki
	Tula	"
	Tangale	"
	Ngell	"
	Kwall	"
	Angass	Umoru
	Ampam	Sariki
	Ampier	"

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No. 2. **EXTRAORDINARY.**

Vol. XIV. SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1913.

Government Notices.

His Excellency the Governor and Staff arrived at Zungeru from Naraguta and Kaduna on the 25th ultimo.

PROCLAMATION No. 1 of 1913, "The Cantonments Proclamation 1913," is published by direction of the Governor, and shall commence and come into operation on the date therein mentioned.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
1st February, 1913.

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NO. 1. 1913

A PROCLAMATION.

Enacted by the Governor of Northern Nigeria.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

L.S.

A PROCLAMATION to further amend the Cantonments Proclamation.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of Northern Nigeria as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Proclamation may be cited as the Cantonments Proclamation 1913, and shall be read and construed as one with the Cantonments Proclamation hereinafter called the principal Proclamation.

Amendment of No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter 37 Sections 4 [2], 5, 25, 26 and 27.

2. The principal Proclamation is hereby amended as follows:—

(1) Section 4 (2) is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

4 (2.) The person for the time being holding the office of Cantonment Magistrate shall be a

corporation sole by the name of the Cantonment Magistrate of the particular Cantonment of which he is Magistrate, and by that name shall have perpetual succession with capacity to acquire and hold in that name Rights of Occupancy, securities and other property, to sue and be sued, to execute deeds, using an official seal to enter into engagements binding on himself and his successors in office, and to do all other acts, necessary or expedient to be done in the execution of the duties of his office.

(2) Section 5 is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

5. It shall not be lawful for a Cantonment Magistrate to alienate a Right of Occupancy by sale, mortgage, or transfer of possession without the consent of the Governor first had and obtained. Any such sale, mortgage, or transfer effected without the consent of the Governor shall be null and void.

(3) In section 25 the words "or the owner thereof, if it is unoccupied" are repealed.

(4) In section 26 the words "or owner" are repealed.

(5) In section 27 the words "or the owner thereof if it is unoccupied" and "owner or" in the second and third lines thereof are repealed.

Commencement

3. This Proclamation shall commence and come into operation on the First day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Protectorate of NORTHERN NIGERIA this ninth day of January in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

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3 *The Cantonments Proclamation* 1913.

THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the Proclamation which has been approved by the Governor and found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Proclamation.

C. L. TEMPLE.
Chief Secretary.

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Government Notices.

His Excellency the Governor and Staff left Zungeru for Lokoja via Baro on the 5th instant.

His Excellency the Governor and Staff left Lokoja for Southern Nigeria on the 7th instant.

PROCLAMATION No. 2 of 1913, "The Minerals Amendment Proclamation 1913," is published by direction of the Governor, and shall commence and come into operation on the date therein mentioned.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.
8th February, 1913.

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Chief Secretary.

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8th February, 1913.

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4 NO. 2. 1913.

A PROCLAMATION.

Enacted by the Governor of Northern Nigeria.

L.S.

F. D. LUGARD.

A PROCLAMATION to amend the Minerals Proclamation.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of Northern Nigeria as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Proclamation may be cited as the Minerals Amendment Proclamation, 1913, and shall be read and construed as one with the Minerals Proclamation which is hereinafter referred to as the principal Proclamation.

Amendment of principal Proclamation

2. The principal Proclamation is hereby amended by adding the following proviso at the end of section 6 thereof:—

"Provided that the Governor may in his discretion allow a renewal for a fourth year at such higher rental as may be fixed by regulation in any case where the holder of an exclusive prospecting licence can shew that prospecting operations have been stopped or seriously hindered by special circumstances which could not have been foreseen when such exclusive prospecting licence was first applied for."

The Minerals Proclamation 1913. 5

Commencement.

3. This Proclamation shall commence and come into operation on the 20th day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Protectorate of NORTHERN NIGERIA this fourth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the Proclamation which has been approved by the Governor and found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Proclamation.

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

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Extract from the London Gazette.

THE following extract from the London Gazette dated 1st January 1913 is published for information :—

Whitehall, December, 17th 1912.

His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to award the King's Police Medal to the following officers of Police Forces and Fire Brigades in the United Kingdom, India, and His Majesty's Dominions beyond the Seas :—

Colonial Forces

Gunu Gana, Constable, Northern Nigeria Police.

60
IT is notified for general information that the name of Station Oboju-Imain situated in the province of Bassa 17 miles S.E. by E. from Ankpa is changed to Boju.

61
Errata.

With reference to the Notice No. 650 appearing on page 304 in Gazette No. 20 of 31st October 1912, Lieut.-Colonel T. A. Rose, D.S.O., 2nd Bn., N. N. Regt., has been granted 2 months' return leave.

With reference to the Notice No. 650 appearing on page 304 in Gazette No. 20 of 31st October 1912, Lieut. A. St. J. M. Warrand, 2nd Bn., N. N. Regt., has been granted return leave for 30 days from the 16th December, 1912.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria
15th February, 1913.

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JUDICIAL NOTICES.
In the matter of the Estate of the late Blackwill (Krooman.) (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Blackwill, (Krooman) deceased, who died at Jebba on the 28th day of December 1912 intestate, are hereby requested to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Asst. Resident C. K. Meek the Provisional Administrator at Jebba on or before the 31st day of March 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 31st day of January, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

63
In the matter of the Estate of the late Bazam Heba (Arab.) (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Bazam Heba, (Arab) deceased, who died at Kano on the 26th day of January, 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in

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writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Assistant Resident G. L. Uniacke, the Provisional Administrator at Kano, on or before the 30th day of April, 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 3rd day of February, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

64
In the matter of the Estate of the late Jose Lopez, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Jose Lopez, deceased, who died at Nguru, Bornu Province on the 25th day of September 1912 intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 31st day of March 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 25th day of January 1913.

J. J. PEELE,
Solicitor of the above Estate.

Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

Note.

Notice No. 633 Gazette No. 20 of 1912 is cancelled by the above.

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Note—It is requested that immediately on receipt of Rate Circulars they be attached to and filed with the Goods & Coaching Tariff.

Nigerian Railway.
RATE CIRCULAR No. 13 OF 1912.
Errata.
PAGE 113 OF GOODS TARIFF.

ARTICLES.	Class
Timber, unwrought, including Beams, Boards, Masts, Planks, Poles, Sashes, Scantlings, Sleepers etc., ... b,	1.
Timber, wrought, (Joiner's work) including doors, Sashes, Gates, House fittings &c., &c. a.	2.
should read :—	
Timber, (Unwrought) including Masts, Poles, Sleepers and Logs ... ... (a)	1.
Timber wrought (Joiner's work) including Beams, Boards, Planks, Sashes, Scantlings, Doors, Gates, house fittings &c.	2.
Page 96. Under classification should read :—	
Logs. See Timber unwrought (a).....	

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
December 20, 1912.

Appointments and Assumption of Duty.

	Name.		Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
66	Dr. C. E. S. Watson*	...	Senior Medical Officer	Medical ...	22nd Jan. 1913 ...	8th Feb 1913
	NATIVE STAFF					
	Mr. Edward Nelson	...	4th Grade Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist	Postal and Telegraphs ...	28th Aug. 1912	Engaged locally.
	Mr. Ernest Wilmont Johnson	...	Senior Warder ...	Prisons ...	17th Dec. 1912 ...	do.
	Mr. George Beckley	...	Learner ...	Chief Secretary's ...	20th Dec. 1912 ...	do.
	Mr. Francis Chapman Grant Acquah	...	4th Grade Clerk ...	Mines ...	1st Jan. 1913 ...	do.
	Mr. George Christian Mends	...	4th Grade Clerk ...	Political and Administrative	2nd Jan. 1913	3rd Jan. 1913.
	Mr. John Edward	...	1st Class Warder ...	Prisons ...	7th Jan. 1913 ...	Engaged locally.

*Transferred from the Gold Coast Colony.

Acting Appointments.

	Name.		Appointment.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
67	Mr. R. Scot-Chapman	...	Political and Administrative ...	Political and Administrative ...	Resident Ilorin ...	28th January 1913.	
	Mr. J. C. P. Sciortino	...	do. ...	do. ...	Resident Nassarawa ...	do.	

Confirmation of Appointments.

	Name.		Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
68	Dr. L. W. Davies ...	...	Medical Officer ...	Medical ...	16th August 1911.	
	Dr. B. J. Courtney	...	do. ...	do. ...	20th September 1911.	

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69 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months.	Vacation. Days.	Return. Months.	Return. Days.	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Dr. L. W. Davies ...	Medical Officer ...	2	30	2	—	25th Dec. 1912	—	Full salary.
Mr. Hanns Vischer ...	Director of Education ...	2	20	2	—	—	26th Dec. 1912	do.
Mr W. B. Thomson ...	3rd Class Resident ...	2	30	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. H. J. Miller-Stirling ...	Assistant Resident ...	2	10	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. E. W. Dix	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. E. W. Cocks	2nd Assistant Secretary ...	2	—	2	—	5th Feb. 1913	—	do.
Capt. F. E Bissell ...	Medical Officer ...	2	20	2	—	—	6th Feb. 1913	do.
Mr. A. C. Francis	3rd Class Resident ...	2	50	2	—	—	do.	do.
Major H. D. Larymore, C.M.G. ...	2nd Class Resident ...	2	90	2	—	—	do.	do.
Dr. R. Willan	Medical Officer ...	2	—	2	—	—	11th Feb. 1913	do.
Mr. W. Hudson	Deputy P. M. G. ...	—	55	—	55	—		
(Invalided).								
Mr. P. M. Dwyer	2nd Class Resident ...	—	35	—	35	—	30th Jan. 1913	do.
Dr. C. T. Costello	Medical Officer ...	—	30	—	30	—	6th Feb. 1913	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. J. J. Nicol	2nd Class Dispenser ...	3	—	—	—	—	16th Jan. 1913	do. Sierra Leone.

70 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Dr. F. Manning ...	Deputy P. M. O.	6 weeks	10th Jan. 1913	20th Feb. 1913	Four weeks of this period being with half salary, the remaining two weeks without salary. Ill-health.

71 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Miss M. A. Ward	Nurse	Medical	7th February 1913	
Mr. V. F. Biscoe	Assistant Resident	Political & Administrative ...	do. ...	
Sergt. T. E. Oliver, R.A.M.C. ...	Staff Sergeant	Medical	do. ...	
Mr. A. E. Goodwin	Assistant Keeper of Gaols ...	Prisons	8th February 1913. ...	
Mr. J. A. Ley-Greaves	2nd Class Resident	Political & Administrative ...	do. ...	
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. J. Tokosi	Senior Warder	Prisons	4th February 1913.	

72 **Promotions.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
Mr. A. E. Dawson ...	Post & Telegraph Inspector ...	1st Grade Post & Telegraph Inspector ...	Post & Telegraphs ...	1st April 1912.
Mr. C. E. Hare	do. do.	do. do. do. ...	do. do. ...	do.
Mr. L. R. Bradley* ...	Accountant & Storekeeper	Chief Accountant & Storekeeper ...	Public Works ...	do.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. A. Odoi	3rd Grade Clerk	2nd Grade Clerk	Public Works ...	8th September 1912.
Mr. A. H. Addico ...	4th Grade Clerk	3rd Grade Clerk	do. ...	do.
Mr. J. G. Sanusi	3rd Class Warder	1st Class Warder	Prisons	1st January 1913.

* From 1st January last the designation of this appointment has been changed to Assistant Accountant, First Grade.

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73 **Transfers.**

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Dr. E. W. Graham	Senior Medical Officer	Gold Coast	Senior Medical Officer ...	30th October 1912.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. A. Williams ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Chief Secretary's Office ...	Medical	3rd Grade Clerk	1st January 1913.
Mr. John S. Macauley ...	4th Grade Clerk Mines	Transport	4th Grade Clerk	do.
Mr. Walwin Clarkson ...	4th Grade Clerk, Accounts Branch, Nigerian Railway ...	Post & Telegraphs ...	3rd Grade Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist ...	14th January 1913.
Mr. George Beckley	Learner, Chief Secretary's	Political & Administrative	4th Grade Clerk	20th January 1913.

74 **Resignation.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. W. T. C. Pollock	Foreman of Works	Nigerian Railway	4th July 1912.	

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75 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Lieutenant Henry Nevill Fairbank, Royal Field Artillery ...	Company Officer ...	1st Bn. N. N. Regt. ...	29th January 1913 ...	14th February 1913.
Lieutenant Herbert Stewart Lauriston Scott, 4th (Queen's Own) Hussars	do.	M. I., N. N. Regt. ...	do. ...	do.
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. James Asmah	Pay Clerk, 4th Grade ...	2nd Bn., N.N.R. ...	20th November 1912 ...	20th November 1912. (Engaged locally).
Mr. Thomas Ladipo Johnson	do.	1st Bn., N.N.R. ...	10th January 1913 ...	11th January 1913.

76 **Resumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Captain W. J. Maule	Company Commander	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	29th January 1913. (Woermann Line.)
BRITISH N.C. Os.			
Armourer R. Hill	Armourer Sergeant	2nd Bn, N. N. Regt.	25th January 1913.
Colour-Sergeant C. L. Chandless	Colour Sergeant	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	1st February 1913.

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Leave of Absence

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LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officer from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months	Days	Months	Days			
Lieut. A. P. Garnier ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	30th Jan. 1913	Full salary.
Invalided. Lieut. G. Darwell	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	— ...	55 ...	— ...	— ...	5th Feb. 1913	—	do.
BRITISH N.C.O. 1/Rating Sergt. H. Canning ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 .	— ...	— ...	30th Jan. 1913	do.

Extension of Leave.

78

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
BRITISH N. C. O. 2/Rating Sergt. T. A. Vise ...	Artillery, N. N. Regt.	8 days	14th Jan. 1913	21st Jan. 1913	Without salary.

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Transfers.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Captain J. F. Badham ...	Company Commander ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Mounted Infantry, N.N.R. ...	Company Commander	2nd Feb. 1913.
Lieutenant S. H. Drummond ...	Company Officer ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt ...	do.	Company Officer ...	1st Feb. 1913.
NATIVE STAFF. Mr. D. G. Duker	4th Grade Clerk ...	Political & Administrative	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Pay Clerk, 4th Grade ...	14th Dec. 1912.
Mr. Emanuel Augustus Ashie Baddoo	do.	do. ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	do. ...	1st Feb. 1913.

Termination of Appointment.

80

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF. Mr. D. G. Duker	Pay Clerk, 4th Grade	1st Bn. N. N. Regt.	28th January 1913.

Re-absorptions.

81

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of reabsorption into British Regiment.	Remarks.
Lieutenant P. Lyon	Company Officer ...	2nd Bn, N. N. Regt. ...	8th October 1912. ...	
Captain J. Greene	Company Commander ...	Mounted Infantry, N.N.R.	2nd Feb. 1913. ...	

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Hausa Examination.

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Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed :—

Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Mr. P. de Putron ...	Assistant Resident ...	Political and Administrative ...	Lower Standard Final	1st December 1912.

English Examination.

83

Under the provisions of G. S. O. No. 52, para. 4, the undermentioned passed :—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.	Remarks.
NATIVE SOLDIERS.				
No. 5835 Private Amadu Bauchi ...	"F" Company, 1st Bn., N.N.R. ...	Lower Standard ...	3rd January 1913.	Marks 65%
No. 6030 Ag. Lance Corporal Dodo ...	do. ...	do. ...	do.	Marks 45%

84 PUBLIC OFFICERS' GUARANTEE FUND.
NORTHERN NIGERIA.

ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1911.

Zungeru,
Northern Nigeria,
7th August, 1912.

To His EXCELLENCY
THE GOVERNOR,

The Public Officers' Guarantee Fund was established on the 1st January 1911 and the following statements, showing the working of the Fund for the year ending 31st December 1911, are now submitted :—

(*a*) Statement of Receipts and Payments during the period.

(*b*) Nominal Roll of officers who contributed to the Fund during the year, amounts for which they were guaranteed, and dates of entrance.

2. The following is a summary of the Accounts for the year :—

RECEIPTS.

Entrance Fees	£318	10	0
Contributions	786	8	3
	£1104	18	3
Less overpayments refunded	66	10	10
	£1038	7	5

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PAYMENTS.

	Forward	£1038 7 5
Allowance paid to Secretary		£36
Excess Receipts over Payments		* £1002 7 5

* £6 of this amount is refundable to officials who are exempt from contributing to the Fund.

3. No contributions were refunded under section 28 of the Proclamation, as the Reserve Fund had not reached the sum of £1,500. Applications were received from a few contributors for refunds, and these amounts will probably be paid in the course of the current year.

4. No claims were made on the Fund during the year.

5. No funds were invested.

6. The number of Contributors to the Fund at 31st December 1911 was 957, and the amount guaranteed by the Fund at the close of the year was £86,675.

A. D. HAMLYN,
Secretary.

J. H. BRATT, *Treasurer.*
H. M. WOOLLEY *Postmaster-General.*
} Directors P. O. G. Fund.

Statement of Receipts and Payments from 1st January to 31st December 1911.

Payments.

	£	s.	d.
Allowance paid to Secretary at rate of £36 per annum ...	36	0	0
Balance in hands of Treasurer 31st December 1911 ...	*1,002	7	5
	£1,038	7	5

* of this balance £6 is refundable to officials who are exempt from contributing to the fund.

J. H. BRATT, *Treasurer.*
H. M. WOOLLEY, *Postmaster-General.*
} *Directors.*

Receipts.

1911.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
January	To Contributions etc. ...	21	0	0			
February	"	107	10	0			
March	"	70	7	6			
April	"	17	14	2			
May	"	36	5	5			
June	"	84	2	6			
July	"	156	9	2			
August	"	131	7	6			
September	"	177	10	1			
October	"	61	7	4			
November	"	19	14	2			
December	"	221	10	5			
		1,104	18	3			
	Less overpayments refunded ...	66	10	10	1,038	7	7
					£1,038	7	7

A. D. HAMLYN,
Secretary

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LIST OF OFFICIALS who have given Security under the Public Officers' Guarantee Fund Proclamation (No. 9 of 1910, Schedule Chapter XLVI), during the year 1st January to 31st December, 1911.

Name of Officer giving Security.	Exact Title of *all* appointments (either permanent or temporary) held by him during the year.	Amount of Bond.	Date of Entrance.
		£	
A			
Aacht, Y. E.	3rd Grade Clerk Treasury	25	1st Jan. 1911
Abban, A. M. F.	4th „ „ Prov. Administration	25	„ „
Abbey, J. A.	Engineer, Marine	25	„ „
Abbey, J. D.	4th Grade Clerk, Customs	25	„ „
Aboah, E. T.	4th „ „ Prov. Administration	25	„ „
Abossey, R. C.	3rd „ Sorter & Telegraphist	25	„ „
Abraham, M. B.	4th „ „ „ „	50	„ „
Abraham, J.	3rd „ Clerk, N.N. Regiment	25	„ „
Abrio, D. E.	Station Master, B. K. Railway	25	„ „
Abutu, J.	Engineer & Fitter, Marine	25	„ „
Ackah, A.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist	200	„ „
Ackland, Lieut. A. C.	Assistant Resident	25	„ „
Acquah, B.	4th Grade Clerk, Customs	25	„ „
Adams, E.	3rd Grade Clerk, Marine	50	„ „
Adams, E. C.	Medical Officer	25	„ „
Adams, O. S.	2nd Grade Clerk, Treasury	25	„ „
Adams, S. E.	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway	25	1st Sept. 1911
Addico, A. K.	4th Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept.	25	1st Jan. 1911
Addison, J. M.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist	50	„ „
Addy, H. C. *a*	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	„ „
Adediran, M. A.	Telegraph Operator, B. K. Railway	25	„ „
Adene, S. A.	2nd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist	25	„ „
Adensi, J. A.	4th „ Clerk, B. K. Railway	25	„ „
Adesanya, B. K.	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway	25	„ „
Adu, J. O.	Telegraph Operator, B. K. Railway	25	„ „
Affanie, J. B.	4th Grade Clerk Prov. Administration	50	„ „
Agbebi, B. E.	2nd „ „ „ „	50	„ „
Aidoo, J. S.	2nd „ „ N.N. Regiment	25	„ „
Aitkins, H. B.	4th „ „ Marine	25	„ „
Akibayo, A. P.	4th „ „ B. K. Railway	25	„ „
Akifemiwa, J. T.	4th „ „ Cantonment Office	50	„ „
Akofur, S. P. Y.	4th „ „ Prov. Administration	25	„ „
Akorseng, J.	Engineer & Fitter, Marine	25	„ „
Akrofie, D. P.	4th Grade Clerk, Treasury	25	„ „
Akudam, S.	4th Grade Clerk, B. K. Railway	25	„ „
Alabina,	Engineer, Marine	25	1st Oct. 1911
Allao, P.	Station Master, B. K. Railway	25	1st Jan. 1911
Allen, A. S.	Engineer & Fitter, Marine	25	„ „
Allen, R. S.	4th Grade Clerk Public Works Dept.	25	1st Sept. 1911
Allotey, J. R.	3rd „ „ Prov. Administration	50	1st Jan. 1911
Amajie, A. C.	Assistant Guard, B. K. Railway	25	„ „
Amemikah, S.	2nd Grade Clerk, Customs	50	„ „
Amissah, C. R	3rd „ „ Treasury	25	„ „
Amissah, G. M.	3rd „ „ N. N. Regiment	50	„ „
Amissah, J.	4th Grade Clerk Prov. Administration	25	„ „
Amissah, K.	Fitter, Public Works Dept.	25	„ „
Amo, J.	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway	25	„ „
Amonoo, G. H.	Master, Marine	25	„ „
Amorley	2nd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist	25	„ „
Anaman, G. H.	Assistant Treasurer	200	„ „
Anderson, C. L.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway	100	„ „
Anderson, E.	2nd Class Resident	500	„ „
Anderson Capt. G.	3rd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist	25	„ „
Anderson, J. L.	Assistant Engineer, Public Works Dept.	200	„ „
Anderson, P. A.			

a Dismissed 9/9/11.

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Name of Officer giving Security.	Exact Title of *all* appointments (either permanent or temporary) held by him during the year	Amount of Bond.	Date of Entrance.
		£	
Anderson, T.	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway	25	1st Jan. 1911
Andoh, J. E.	3rd Grade Clerk, Customs	100	„ „
Andoh, J. G. W.	3rd „ „ N.N. Regiment	50	„ „
Angus, G.	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway	25	„ „
Aniowun, J. O.	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway	25	„ „
Ankrah, C. J.	4th Grade Clerk, N.N. Regiment	50	„ „
Ankrah, K. D. *a*	„ „ „ Customs	100	„ „
Annan C.	Engineer, Marine	25	„ „
Annan, J. B.	Learner Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway	25	„ „
Annan, J. E.	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	„ „
Anthony, C. C.	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway	25	„ „
Anthony, J. N.	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	„ „
Anwurebo, P.	Telegraph Operator, Baro-Kano Railway	25	„ „
Apara, P. L.	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway	25	„ „
Appiah, E. N. C.	4th „ Sorter & Telegraphist	25	„ „
Archer, F. Bissett	Chief Assistant Treasurer	300	„ „
Arcton, W. H.	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	1st July 1911
Arnett, E. J.	2nd Class Resident	500	1st Jan. 1911
Arthur, J. F. *b*	3rd Grade Clerk, Customs	100	„ „
Arthur, J. N.	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway	25	„ „
Asamoah, E. F.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist	25	1st Apl. 1911
Ashong J. M.	4th „ Clerk, Customs	100	1st Jan. 1911
Ashong, T.	Engineer & Fitter, Marine	25	„ „
Aubee, S. K.	Engineer, Marine	25	„ „
Auchinleck, Lieut. A. L.	Assistant Resident	200	26th July 1911
Aryee, V. R. C.	4th Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept.	25	1st Nov. 1911
Azikiwe, O. C.	3rd „ „ N.N. Regiment	50	1st Jan. 1911
B			
Backwell, H. F.	Assistant Resident	200	1st Jan. 1911
Baddoo, E. L.	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	„ „
Baffoe, W. P.	„ „ „ „ „	25	„ „
Baikie, S. S.	Engineer, Marine	25	„ „
Bailey, J. B.	Engineer, Marine	25	„ „
Bailey, J. E.	Loco. Fitter, Baro-Kano Railway	50	1st Sept. 1911
Bailey, L. W.	2nd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist	25	1st Jan. 1911
Bajulai, J. K. M.	4th „ „ „	25	„ „
Bamayi	Engine Driver, Public Works Dept.	25	„ „
Bampoe, J. H.	3rd Grade Clerk, Prisons Dept.	25	„ „
Bannerman, J. F.	„ „ „ Prov. Administration	25	„ „
Barker, B. A.	Master, Marine	50	„ „
Barker, T. W. *c*	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	„ „
Barnor, R. A.	3rd „ „ Public Works Dept.	25	„ „
Bar-Rolle, J.	Head Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway	50	„ „
Bartlett, M. J.	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	„ „
Beckley, A. W.	2nd „ Clerk, Marine	50	„ „
Beckley, G. M.	2nd „ Sorter & Telegraphist	25	„ „
Bell, C. E. J.	District Engineer, Baro-Kano Railway	200	„ „
Bell, Lieut. F. W. v.c.,	Assistant Resident	200	„ „
Belmar, F. le C.	Junior Assistant Treasurer	200	1st Apl. 1911
Benin, E. P.	4th Grade Clerk, N.N. Regiment	50	1st Jan. 1911
Benin, R. M.	2nd „ „ Treasury	25	„ „
Bennet, G. W. R.	Leveller. Baro-Kano Railway	100	„ „
Bennett, I. R.	Station Master, Baro-Kano Railway	25	„ „
Benson, G. A.	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	„ „

a Dismissed 24/7/11. *b* Dismissed 3/6/11. *c* Resigned 8/9/11.

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		£	
Benton, P. A.	Assistant Resident	200	1st Jan. 1911
Bentoom, B.	3rd Grade Clerk, Customs	100	" "
Beresford, M. J. D.	Private Secretary	100	" "
Berkeley, H. S.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Bickers, A. A.	Fitter, Baro-Kano Railway	50	1st Oct. 1911
Biffen, E. H.	Traffic Superintendent, B.K. Railway	300	1st Jan. 1911
Biney, Chas.	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Biscoe, V. F.	Assistant Resident	200	2nd Aug. 1911
Bishop, G. H.	Assistant Engineer, B. K. Railway	200	1st Jan. 1911
Bishop, W. W.	Maintenance Engineer "	200	" "
Bissell, F. E.	Medical Officer	50	" "
Black, G. C.	2nd Grade Clerk, Prov Administration	50	" "
Blackett, E. J.	Examiner of Accounts, B. K. Railway	100	1st June 1911
Blackwood, R. M.	Assistant Resident	200	1st Jan. 1911
Blake, L. H. E.	" "	200	" "
Blakeney, Major J. E. C.	2nd Class Resident	500	" "
Bland, E. M.	Executive Engineer, B. K. Railway	300	" "
Bond, J.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway	100	" "
Booth, Major C. A.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Bostock, W. C.	District Engineer, Baro-Kano Railway	200	" "
Botchay, C. L.	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Bothwell, J.	Foreman, Public Works Dept.	100	1st Oct. 1911
Bovill, H.	Assistant Resident	200	1st Jan. 1911
Bowen, A. W. N.	Station Master, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Boyd, C. E.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Boyd, J. H.	" Engineer, Baro-Kano Railway	200	" "
Boye, J. W.	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	1st Aug. 1911
Boyle, C. V.	Assistant Resident	200	1st Jan. 1911
Boyton, T. E.	Accountant, Baro-Kano Railway	200	" "
Bracken, R. G.	Asst. Commissioner of Police	100	" "
Brackenbury, Capt. E. A.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Bradley, L. R.	Accountant, Public Works Dept.	200	" "
Bradney, P. E.	Asst. Commissioner of Police	100	" "
Bratt, J. H. D.	Treasurer	500	" "
Braysher, A. W.	Traffic Inspector, Baro-Kano Railway	100	" "
Brealy, H. H.	Fitter, Public Works Dept.	100	" "
Bremner, A.	Medical Officer	50	" "
Brew, S. H.	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Briandt, J.	Engineer & Fitter, Marine	25	" "
Brice-Smith, H. M.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Brierly, W. E.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway	100	" "
Bright, J. A.	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Brimah,	Master, Marine,	25	" "
Britton, H. J.	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	1st Apl. 1911
Broderick, E. O.	2nd Grade Postmaster	50	1st Jan. 1911
Brooks, H. C.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Brown, A.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway	100	" "
Brown, J. M.	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	1st June 1911
Brown, J. S.	Asst. Engineer, Public Works Dept.	200	1st Jan. 1911
Brown, J. P.	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Brown, L. A. B.	4th Grade Clerk	25	1st Nov. 1911
Brown, R.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway	100	1st Jan. 1911
Brown, T. K.	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	" "
Browne, E. J.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist	25	" "
Browne, G. S.	Assistant Resident	200	" "

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		£	
Browne, J. E.	4th Grade Clerk	100	1st Jan. 1911
Bruce, E. G.	" " " Transport Dept.	50	" "
Bruce, R. G.	" " " N. N. Regiment	25	" "
Buckle, E.	Accountant, Baro-Kano Railway	200	" "
Buckle, L. J.	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Budgeon, T. A.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Burleigh, A.	Station Master, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Burnett, Chas. S.	Assistant Resident	200	1st July 1911
Burns, W.	Loco. Fitter, Baro-Kano Railway	50	1st Jan. 1911
Burnside, E. H.	Asst. Commissioner of Police	100	" "
Burton, Capt. E. F. N.	" " "	100	1st Aug. 1911
Butler, W.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway	100	1st Jan. 1911
Byfield, B. D.	3rd Class Resident	300	" "
Byng-Hall, Capt. F. F. W.	" " "	300	" "
C			
Caesar, T. B.	2nd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	1st Jan. 1911.
Cahill, J. F.	Assistant Keeper of Gaols	50	15th Feb. 1911
Campbell, A. B.	Assistant Storekeeper, B. K. Railway	200	1st Jan. 1911
Campbell, B. E. F.	Learner Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Campbell, J. B. *a*	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Campbell, J. G.	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Campbell-Irons, A.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Card, L. O. C.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway	100	" "
Carew, C. J.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphists	25	" "
Carew, S.	" " "	25	1st Oct. 1911
Carlyle, T. F.	Assistant Resident	200	1st Jan. 1911
Carney J. E.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist	25	" "
Carney, J. E. M.	2nd " Clerk, Transport Dept.	25	1st Apl. 1911
Carr, E. B.	4th " " Customs	25	1st Jan. 1911
Carter, E. J.	Accountant, Baro-Kano Railway	200	1st July 1911
Castro, E. H. *b*	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway	25	1st Jan. 1911
Cates, P. O. D.	4th Grade Clerk " "	25	" "
Cator, D.	3rd Class Resident	300	" "
Caulker, C. N.	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Caudell, C. J.	Accountant, Baro-Kano Railway	200	" "
Chapman, H. J.	Foreman, Public Works Department	100	" "
Chapman, R. S.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Chartres, E. A. *c*	Senior Medical Officer	50	" "
Chartres, J.	Assistant Commissioner of Police	100	" "
Chesnaye, F. W.	Medical Officer	50	" "
Chisholm, G. S.	Assistant Engineer, Baro-Kano Railway	200	" "
Chukudebee, H.	4th Grade Clerk, Customs	25	1st Aug. 1911
Chukura, J. C.	Engineer, Marine	25	1st Jan. 1911
Churcher, A. E.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Clarke, C. D.	1st Grade Sorter & Telegraphist	25	" "
Clarke, J. C. O.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Clarke, T.	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Clarke, T. C.	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Cline, J. J.	4th " Clerk, Marine	25	1st Aug. 1911
Coatsworth, J. P.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway	100	1st Jan. 1911
Cobbina, F. H. *d*	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	" "
Cobbrah F. R.	Native Sub-Inspector of Telegraphs	25	1st Aug. 1911
Cock, E. A. L.	Government Inspector of Mines	500	1st Jan. 1911
Cocks, E. W.	Acting Chief Assistant Secretary	50	" "

a. Dismissed 10/8/11. *b*. Dismissed 18/12/11. *c*. Transferred to the Gambia 25/12/11. *d*. Appointment terminated 8/8/11.

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		£	
Coker, A. D. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	1st June 1911
Coker, A H. ...	3rd „ „ Public Works Dept. ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Coker, D. A. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	„ „
Coker, G. T. A. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	„ „
Coker, J. J. ...	Marine Engineer	25	„ „
Coker, J. U. ...	„ „ „ ...	100	„ „
Coker, J. W. *a* ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	„ „
Coker, S. E. ...	2nd Grade Clerk, „ „ ...	25	„ „
Coker, S. N. A. ...	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway ...	50	„ „
Cole, A. E.	2nd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration...	25	„ „
Cole, A. S.	Telegraph Operator, B. K. Railway ...	25	„ „
Cole, D. H.	Native Telegraph Inspector ...	25	1st May 1911
Cole, D. S.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Mar. 1911
Cole, J. A	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Cole, J. A.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	„ „
Cole, J. A. B. ...	2nd „ „ „ „ ...	25	„ „
Cole, J. S.	3rd „ „ „ „ ...	25	„ „
Cole, M. S.	3rd „ „ „ „ ..	25	„ „
Cole, Thomas ...	Engineer, Marine	50	„ „
Cole, T. A.	Telegraph Operator, B. K. Railway ...	25	„ „
Colecraft, T. B. ..	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration...	25	„ „
Coleman, R. B. ...	4th „ „ Police Dept. ..	25	1st Apl. 1911
Coclio, ...	Master, Marine	300	1st Jan. 1911
Collard, A. S. ...	Executive Engineer, B. K. Railway ...	25	„ „
Colleh, ...	Engineer, Marine	25	„ „
Collier, F. B. ...	„ „	25	„ „
Colls, D. G. A. *b* ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	„ „
Condua, G. A. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Customs ...	25	„ „
Condua, J. R. ...	4th „ „ Prov. Administration ...	50	„ „
Conran, P. C. ...	Medical Officer	25	„ „
Cooke, C. R. ...	4th Grade Sorter, & Telegraphist ...	25	„ „
Cooke, W.	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Oct. 1911
Cope, C.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	200	1st Jan. 1911
Cortfield, R. C. ..	Assistant Resident	50	„ „
Costello, C. T. ...	Medical Officer	50	1st Sept. 1911
Courtney, B. J. ...	„ „	200	1st Jan. 1911
Cowper, H. W. ..	Assistant Resident	25	„ „
Crabbe, E. H. ..	4th Grade Clerk, Marine ...	25	„ „
Crawford, J. ...	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway ...	200	1st Feb. 1911
Creighton, H.... ...	Junior Traffic Assistant, B. K. R'way....	25	1st July 1911
Crentsil, M. P. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	50	5th July 1911
Crichton, A. J. M. ...	Medical Officer	100	1st Jan. 1911
Cripps, A. E. ...	Assistant Marine Superintendent ...	25	1st June 1911
Cromantey, L. H. ..	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration...	25	1st Mar. 1911
Crook, C. C. ...	Sapper Surveyor	25	1st Jan. 1911
Cruickshank, A. ...	2nd Grade Clerk, Marine ...	25	„ „
Cudjoe, J.	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	„ „
Cummings, D. A. ...	Learner Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	„ „
Cummings, D. A. ...	4th Grade „ „ „ ...	25	„ „
Cummings, E. ...	Clerk, „ „ ...	25	„ „
Cundy, R. C.	Guard, B.K. Railway	200	„ „
Cuningham C. A. ...	Assistant Treasurer	100	1st Sept. 1911
Curran, J. P. C. ...	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...		
D			
Dadzie J.	1st Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Dadzie, W. A. ...	4th „ „ „	100	„ „

a Dismissed 26/10/11. *b* Appointment terminated 12/11/11.

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		£	
Dalziel, J. M. ...	Medical Officer	50	1st Jan. 1911
Daniel, W. E. ...	Engineer, Marine	50	„ „
Daniels, E. M. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	„ „
Daniels, J. A. ...	Telegraph Operator, B.K. Railway ...	25	„ „
Daniels, J. L. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Customs ...	50	„ „
Daniels, J. N. ...	4th „ „ Prisons Dept. ...	25	„ „
Daniels, W. C. ...	Atg. Storekeeper, Chief Secretary's Office	50	1st April 1911
Danquah, S. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Customs ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Da Silva B. A. ...	3rd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	„ „
Da Silva, P. G. ...	Atg. Storekeeper, Chief Secretary's Office	50	„ „
Davidson, C. M. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration...	50	„ „
Davies	4th „ „ B.K. Railway ...	50	„ „
Davies, C. I. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Cantonment Office ...	50	25th Apl. 1911
Davies, E. N. ...	3rd „ „ Police Dept.... ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Davies, H.	Native Sub-Inspector Telegraphs ...	25	„ „
Davies, J.	Fitter, B.K. Railway	50	1st Sept. 1911
Davies, J. B. ...	4th Grade Clerk, B.K. Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Davies, J. B. ...	Engineer & Fitter, Marine ...	25	„ „
Davies, J. E. ...	Station Master, B.K. Railway ...	25	„ „
Davies, J. O. ...	4th Grade Clerk	25	29th June 1911
Davies, J. W. R. ...	4th „ „ Marine	25	1st Jan. 1911
Davies, L. E. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Oct. 1911
Davies, L. W. ...	Medical Officer	50	1st Aug. 1911
Davies, W.	Engine Driver, B.K. Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Dawson, A. E. ...	Post & Telegraph Inspector ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Dawson, S. G. ...	Foreman, B.K. Railway	100	„ „
Decker, H. C. A. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept. ...	25	„ „
Dickens, J. M. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	„ „
Dicker, W. F. ...	Engine Driver, B.K. Railway	25	„ „
Dierden, J.	Foreman, Public Works Dept. ...	100	1st Mar. 1911
Diggle, P. R. ...	Assistant Resident	200	1st Nov. 1911
Dix, E. W.	Asst. Commissioner of Police ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Dixon, J. E. ...	1st Class Compositor	25	„ „
Doherty, J. D. ...	Engineer, Marine	25	„ „
Dolman, A. J. ...	Draughtsman, B.K. Railway ...	100	„ „
Domingo, W. W. ...	3rd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ..	25	„ „
Dooley, J.	Foreman, Public Works Dept. ...	100	„ „
Doyle, P. J.... ...	Senior Asst. Marine Superintendent ...	100	„ „
Duff, E. C.	2nd Class Resident	500	„ „
Duker, E. J. ...	1st Grade Clerk, Prisons Dept. ...	25	„ „
Dunlop, W. C. C. ...	Assistant Resident	200	„ „
Dunn, C. M. ...	„ „	200	26th July. 1911
Dupigny, E. G. M. ...	2nd Class Resident	500	1st Jan. 1911
During, B. T. ...	2nd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	„ „
During, H. L. ...	1st Class Compositor, Printing ...	25	„ „
Duus, O. F.	Accountant, B.K. Railway ...	200	„ „
Dwyer, F.	3rd Class Resident	300	„ „
Dwyer, P. M. ...	2nd „ „	500	„ „
Dyer, T. W. P. ...	Assistant Resident	200	„ „
E			
Eaglesome, J. C.M.G. ...	Director Public Works & Railways	500	1st Jan. 1911
Edgar, Major F. ...	Assistant Resident	200	„ „
Edwardes, A. ..	4th Grade Clerk, B.K. Railway ...	25	„ „
Edwardes, H. S. W. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	„ „
Edwards, E. J. ...	1st Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	„ „

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		£	
Edwards, H. J. ...	Fitter, B.K. Railway	50	13th Dec. 1911
Edwin, D. J. ...	1st Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept ...	50	1st Jan. 1911
Egbegbu, J. *a* ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Egbert, F.	1st Grade Clerk Prov. Administration	50	" "
Ejofo, T. J.	2nd " Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Elba, C. L. *b* ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Elder, J. H. C. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Elliott, C.	Marine Superintendent	300	" "
Ellis, E. B.	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Ellis, M. F.	Medical Officer	50	" "
Ellis, Major O. H. ...	Chief Construction Acct., B.K. Railway	500	" "
Ellis, R. F.	Asst. Commissioner of Police ...	100	" "
Ellis, W. B.	Foreman, B.K. Railway	100	1st Nov. 1911
Elphinstone, K. V. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	1st Jan. 1911
Emanuel, ...	Engineer, Marine	25	1st Sept. 1911.
Emeter, I. O. ..	Telegraph Operator, B.K. Railway ..	25	1st Jan. 1911.
Essenwah, W. ...	4th Grade Clerk, B.K. Railway ...	25	" "
Evans, A. S. ...	Foreman, Public Works Dept. ...	100	1st Nov. 1911.
Evans, J. R. *c* ...	4th Grade Sorter, and Telegraphist ...	25	1st Jan. 1911.
Evans W. Scott ...	Acting Chief Assistant Secretary ...	50	15th Feb. 1911
Ezeazer, S. M. ...	Telegraph Operator, B.K. Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
F			
Fagan, J. P. ...	Principal Medical Officer	50	1st Jan. 1911
Farmer, J. E. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Farmer, R. G ...	" " " " " ...	25	" "
Farnell, H.	Engine Driver, B.K. Railway ...	25	1st July 1911
Faux, E. T..... ..	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	1st Nov. 1911
Faux, J. S.	" " " " " ...	100	1st July 1911
Fennah, C. F. ...	Loco Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Feb. 1911
Fenwick, J. W. ...	Traffic Inspector, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Fergusson, D. S. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Fiddler, J.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	200	" "
Finch, J.	Assistant Resident	100	" "
Findlay, E. G. ...	Foreman, Public Works Department ...	200	" "
Fitz Henry, W. ...	Assistant Engineer, B. K. Railway ...	200	" "
Fitzpatrick, J. F. J. ...	Assistant Resident	25	" "
Fleischer, E. C. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Fletcher, H. B. ...	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway .	50	" "
Flood, B.	Medical Officer	200	" "
Follwell, E. N. ...	Accountant, Marine	200	1st Oct. 1911
Forbes, J. H. ...	Assistant Engineer, Baro-Kano Railway	300	1st Jan. 1911
Foulkes, Capt. H. D. ...	3rd Class Resident	100	" "
Fowler, C. *d* ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Fowler, O. F. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	100	" "
Fowler, Capt. W. M. ...	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	300	" "
Francis, A. C. ..	3rd Class Resident	25	" "
Francis, J. M. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Francis, J. P. O. ...	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Frans, J. A. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Franz, T. A. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	50	" "
Fraser, N. A. P. ..	Senior Engineer, Marine	300	" "
Fraser, W. K. ...	3rd Class Resident	25	" "
Freeman, A. C. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Marine	25	" "
Freeman, T. B. ...	4th " " "	200	" "
Frewen, H. M.	Assistant Resident	50	" "
Friar, J. E. S ...	1st Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration		

a Resigned 1/5/11. *b* Dismissed 24/10/11. *c* Appointment terminated 14/4/11.
d Appointment terminated 23/11/11.

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		£	
G			
Gabbett, G. F. A. ...	Accountant, Marine	200	1st Jan. 1911
Gall, F. B.	2nd Class Resident	500	" "
Galloway, J. ...	Fitter & Smith, Marine	50	" "
Gana	Headman, B.K.Railway	25	" "
Gaskin, D.	Assistant Engineer, B.K.Railway ...	200	" "
Gaskin, J. G. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Geffert, J. J. ...	Asst. Loco. Superintendent, B.K.R'way	300	1st Oct. 1911
George, A.	Engineer, Marine	25	1st Jan. 1911
George, A. R. ...	1st Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
George, C. H. ...	Foreman, B.K.Railway ...	100	" "
George, D. E. ...	Guard, B.K.Railway	25	" "
George, E. C. ...	Asst. Guard, B.K.Railway ...	25	" "
George, E. T. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
George, W. J. ...	3rd " " "	25	" "
Gerahty, C. C. ...	Assistant Resident	200	1st Nov. 1911
Gibb, J.	Foreman, B.K.Railway	100	1st Jan. 1911
Gibbs, G. W. ...	Accountant, Marine	200	" "
Gilbert, A. E. ...	Truck Fitter, B.K.Railway ...	100	" "
Gill, J. Withers. ..	3rd Class Resident	300	" "
Girardin, G. J. ...	Assistant Engineer, B.K.Railway ...	200	" "
Glenny, H. Q. ...	" Resident	200	" "
Glentworth, J. ...	Fitter-in-Charge, Public Works Dept....	100	" "
Glouster, T. L. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine ...	25	" "
Godwin, Capt. F. A. E. ...	Commissioner of Police	100	" "
Gold, C.	Postal & Telegraph Inspector ...	100	" "
Goldsmith, H. S. C.M.G. ...	1st Class Resident	500	" "
Gomez, J. A. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration...	25	1st Apl 1911
Goodchild, O. ...	Foreman, B.K.Railway	100	1st Jan. 1911
Gooding, A. C. O. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Oct. 1911
Goodwin, G. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Gordon, Capt. C. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	" "
Gorring, C.	Assistant Storekeeper, B.K.Railway ...	200	" "
Gosden, W. ...	Fitter, Public Works Department. ...	100	1st Feb. 1911
Gould, H.	Engineer, Marine	50	1st Jan. 1911
Goulden, Capt. F. C. ...	Chief Storekeeper, B.K.Railway ...	300	1st Sept. 1911
Gowers, W. F. ...	1st Class Resident	500	1st Jan. 1911
Graham, A. ...	District Engineer, B.K. Railway ...	200	" "
Graham, A. G. ...	Accountant, B.K.Railway ...	200	" "
Graham, E. W. ...	Senior Medical Officer	50	" "
Graham, F. B. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Graves, F. H. H. ...	Accountant, Public Works Dept. ...	200	" "
Greenup, C. ...	Foreman, B.K. Railway ...	100	" "
Greenwood, J. O. ...	Asst. Commissioner of Police ...	100	" "
Gregg, R. J. ...	Loco. Fitter, B.K. Railway ...	50	" "
Greig, H. H. ...	Junior Traffic Assistant, B.K. Railway...	100	26th July 1911
Grier, S. M. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	1st Jan. 1911
Groom, A. H. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Gush, H. W. *a* ...	Medical Officer	50	" "
Guthrie, F. A. ...	Fitter & Smith, Marine	50	" "
H			
Hall, G. M. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Hall, Capt. H. C	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Hall, V. C.	Assistant Guard, B.K. Railway ...	25	" "

a Transferred to the Gold Coast 15/8/11.

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		£	
Hall, W. Gordon ...	Senior Medical Officer	50	1st Jan. 1911
Halm, S. M. ...	3rd Grade Clerk Prov. Administration	50	" "
Hamilton, G. P. ...	3rd " " N. N. Regiment ...	50	" "
Hamilton, H. H. L. ...	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Hamilton Kenneth ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Hamilton-Brown, Capt....	2nd Class "	500	" "
Hamlyn, A. D. ...	Assistant Treasurer	200	" "
Hammond, A. A. C. *a* ...	4th Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Hammond, A. C. *b* ..	Superintendent, Marine Workshops ..	200	" "
Hammond, J. E. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Hanson, A.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Hanson, F. B. ...	Foreman, " " " ...	100	" "
Hanson, M. R. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Harding, E. N. S. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Customs... ...	100	" "
Harding, N. ...	4th " " B.K.Railway	25	" "
Hare, C. E. ...	Post & Telegraph Inspector ...	100	" "
Harris, J. E. ...	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Hartze, H.	1st Grade Sorter and Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Harvey, J. W, ...	4th Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	1st Nov. 1911.
Hastings, A. C. G. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	1st Jan. 1911.
Hathaway, R. M. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ..	100	" "
Haughton, T. H. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Hawkins, E. M. ...	Marine Officer	50	19th July, 1911.
Haxton, A.	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan, 1911.
Haydon, F. W. J. ...	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Hedley, W. W. ...	Examiner of Accounts " ...	100	1st July, 1911.
Henderson, D.	Foreman, " ...	100	1st Jan. 1911.
Henderson, W. ...	Assistant Engineer, " ...	200	" "
Henry, ...	Master, Marine	25	" "
Hermitage, A. J. ...	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Hermon-Hodge, H. B. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Hesse, L. V. B. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Hesse, W. G. ...	Assistant Chief Clerk, Marine ...	100	" "
Hewby, W. P. ...	1st Class Resident	500	" "
Hicks, H. E. ...	Mechanician, Transport Department ...	50	" "
Hodges, A. H. ...	Junior Assistant Treasurer ...	200	" "
Hodges, B.	Chief Assistant Secretary	50	1st April 1911.
Hogg, J. D. ...	Engine Driver, Bauchi Light Railway	25	1st Dec. 1911.
Hollis, Denzil ...	Assistant Resident	200	1st Jan. 1911.
Holme, H. F. ...	" "	200	" "
Holroyd, L. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway	100	" "
Honny, J. P. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Hooke, F. J. *c*	Storekeeper, Marine	50	" "
Hooper, S. L. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Hopkins, F. F. ...	Chief Assistant Secretary... ...	50	" "
Hopkinson, J. ff. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Horton, J. J. ...	1st Class Compositor, Printing ...	25	" "
Hotonu, G. H. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	50	" "
Howard, T. N. S. ...	Postmaster	100	" "
Howe, John ...	2nd Grade Clerk, Chief Secy's Office ...	50	" "
Howell, J. P. W. ...	Foreman, Public Works Department ...	100	1st Oct. 1911.
Hughes, A. J. ...	2nd Grade Clerk, Police Department ...	50	1st Jan. 1911
Hughes, G. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Hunt, A. W. ...	Asst. Marine Superintendent	100	" "
Hunt, J. H. ...	Post and Telegraph Inspector ...	100	" "
Hutchison, F. W. M. ...	2nd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	1st April, 1911.

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		£	
Hyde, M. A.	3rd Grade Clerk, N. N. Regiment ...	50	1st Jan. 1911.
Hyer, J. F. R. ...	3rd " " Prov. Administration	50	" "
I			
Ikpeazu, G. N. ...	Learner Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Imprame, B. D. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Apl. 1911
Inness, W. D. ...	Medical Officer	50	1st Jan. 1911
Irwin, H. M. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Issa, ...	Quartermaster, Marine	25	" "
Issichei, C. O. ...	Telegraph Operator, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
J			
Jaja, J. B.	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
James, ...	Engineer, Marine	25	1st Sept 1911
James, H. B. ...	Assistant Resident	200	1st Jan. 1911
Janney, C. B. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Transport Dept. ...	25	" "
Jeffrey, R. J. ...	Master, Marine	50	" "
Jeffreys, H C. ...	Medical Officer	50	1st Feb. 1911
Jeffries, S. T. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Jepp, N. M. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
John, D. A. ...	1st Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
John, D. H. ...	3rd " Postmaster	25	" "
John, E. A.... ...	4th " Clerk Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
John, J. F.	2nd " Postmaster	50	" "
John, J. W. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept.	25	" "
John, T. Z. A. ...	2nd " Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
John, U. H. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Johnson, Capt. A. E. ...	Inspector General of Police ...	200	" "
Johnson, B. H. ...	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Johnson, C. D. ...	1st Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Johnson, D. E. ...	4th " Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Johnson, E. E. ...	3rd " " Marine	25	" "
Johnson, E. H. E. ...	" " " "	25	" "
Johnson, E. R. ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Johnson, E. R. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Johnson, Frank ...	4th " Clerk, Marine ...	25	" "
Johnson, J. D. ...	4th " Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Apl. 1911
Johnson, R. T. ...	3rd Grade Postmaster	25	1st Jan. 1911
Johnson, S. H. ...	4th " Clerk, N. N. Regiment ...	50	" "
Johnson, S. R. ...	" " " Marine	25	" "
Johnson, Wm. ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Jonah, B. A.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Jones, E. M. ...	" " Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Jones, J. H. B. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Jones, S. A.... ...	3rd Grade " " ...	25	" "
Jones, S. R. ...	4th " " " ...	25	" "
Jordan, C. C. St. D. ...	Junior Traffic Assistant, B. K. Railway	200	1st Aug. 1911
K			
Kaderi	Master, Marine	25	1st Jan. 1911
Kaitell, J. S. ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Kapu, J. W. O. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Kay, Albert ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Keating, S.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "

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		£	
Kemp, H.	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Kempthorne, Capt. H. N. *a*	Intelligence Officer	50	" "
Kent, R. R. ...	Loco. Fitter, Baro-Kano Railway ...	50	" "
Kewley, T. E. ...	Asst. Traffic Supdt. Baro-Kano Railway	200	" "
Kobb, J. M. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Kodilinye, J. S. ...	" " " Marine	25	" "
Kotaye, T. F. ...	2nd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
King, C. J.	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway	100	" "
King, G. C. W. ...	Chief Dispenser, Medical Dept. ...	25	" "
Kissling T.	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	200	" "
Kirk, J. G.	Store Keeper, Public Works Dept. ...	200	" "
Kirkpatrick, Y. ...	Assistant Resident	50	" "
Kitchen, W. ...	Boilermaker, Marine	200	" "
Knight, R. B. ...	Assistant Resident	25	" "
Kumodzi, F. J. G. *b* ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Kuta, Ali	Engineer, Marine		
L			
La Chard, L. W. ...	Assistant Commissioner of Police	100	1st Jan. 1911.
Laing, Capt. E. H. B. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	" "
Lane, A. E. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Langworthy, H. W. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	" "
Larsen, C. E. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Customs... ...	50	" "
Lartey, J. E. ..	4th " " " Prov. Administration	25	1st Feb. 1911.
Laryea, R. *c* ...	Engineer, Marine	25	1st Jan. 1911.
Larymore, Major H. D. ...	2nd Class Resident	500	" "
Lassay, B. M. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Customs ...	100	" "
Lawani, I. A. G. ...	4th " " "	100	" "
Lawrence, Capt. A. S. ...	Assistant Resident	200	1st Feb 1911.
Lawson, F. H. ...	Assistant Engineer, Baro-Kano Railway	200	1st Jan. 1911.
Lawson, W. Q. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	1st May, 1911.
Layman, E.	Assistant Engineer, Baro-Kano Railway	200	1st Jan. 1911.
Le Bas, D.	Medical Officer " " " ..	50	" "
Leigh, R. W. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	1st Jan. 1911.
Lethem G. J.	Assistant Resident	200	22nd Mar. 1911
Lewis, G. P.	Assistant Postmaster-General ...	300	1st Jan. 1911.
Lewis, T. J. ...	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Ley-Greaves, J. A. ...	2nd Class Resident	500	" "
Liddard, M. L. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	" "
Lindsay, J.	Medical Officer	50	" "
Lindsell, H. O. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Littledale, B. H. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Littlewood, J. D. ...	" Public Works Department ...	100	1st Oct. 1911.
Lisk, J. E. *d* ...	4th Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Lisk, J. W. H. ...	2nd " " Prov. Administration ...	50	" "
Lloyd, R. A. ...	Assistant Engineer, Public Works Dept.	200	" "
Lloyd-Williams E. ...	Executive Engineer " " " ...	300	" "
Lobb, H. P.... ...	Medical Officer	50	" "
Longmore, T. J. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Lonsdale, Capt. P. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	" "
Loo, I. D.	Assistant Chief Clerk, Treasury ..	50	" "
Loo, R. J. H. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept. ...	25	" "
Lowry, T. N. ...	Assistant Govt. Inspector of Mines ...	500	6th July, 1911.
Lyall, A.	2nd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Jan. 1911.
Lyall, G. P. H. ...	3rd Grade Postmaster	25	" "
Lycett, T.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Lynch J. E. ...	" Public Works Department ..	100	" "

a Transferred to East Africa 8-12-11. *b* Resigned 30-9-11. *c* Resigned 1-12-11. *d* Appointment terminated 21-8-11.

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M		£	
McAllister, R. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	1st Jan. 1911
Macauley, E. D. A. ...	Head Printer Baro-Kano Railway ...	50	" "
Macauley, E. L. S. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Macauley, H. C. ...	Telegraph Operator, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Macauley, J. ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Macauley, J. S. ...	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Macauley, R. H. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine ...	25	" "
Macauley, T. B. ...	Government Printer	50	" "
McBryer, G. ...	Locomotive Fitter, Baro-Kano Railway	50	1st Sept. 1911
McCay, F. W. ...	Medical Officer	50	1st Jan. 1911
McDermot, A. S. ...	Accountant, Baro-Kano Railway ...	200	1st Nov. 1911
Macfarlane, C. A. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, N. N. Regiment	50	1st Jan. 1911
Macfie, J. W. Scott ...	Medical Officer	50	" "
Macfoy, S. O. ...	1st Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	" "
McGahey, K. ...	Medical Officer	50	" "
Macgregor, G. ...	Assistant Resident	200	1st Nov. 1911
Mackay, G. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Mackay, J. B. I.	Assistant Resident	200	" "
McKee, J.	" Commissioner of Police ...	100	" "
McKinney, H. G. ...	Medical Officer	50	" "
McClintock, Major A. ...	1st Class Resident	500	" "
McLeay, C. W. ...	Medical Officer	50	" "
Mair, W. D. K. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Malcolm, G. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	" "
Maltby, F. E. ...	Assistant "	200	" "
Manassah, G. W. E. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Manning F. ...	Deputy Principal Medical Officer ...	50	" "
Mantey, J. H. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	1st Apl. 1911
Manuk, M. W. ...	Medical Officer	50	1st Jan. 1911
Marmah, J. G. ...	Engineer, Marine	25	1st June 1911
Marsh, W. S. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Marsh, F.	" Public Works Department ...	100	" "
Marsh, M.	Engineer & Fitter, Marine	25	" "
Marsh, W. A. C. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Marshall, ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Martin, P.	" "	25	" "
Martins, M. D. ...	Telegraph Operator, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Martins, R. A. *a* ...	2nd Grade Sorter, & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Mason, G. F. ...	Assistant Postmaster General ...	300	" "
Matthews, G. R. ...	Chief Assistant Secretary ...	50	" "
Matthews, H. de C. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	" "
Matthews, H. F. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Maxwell, A. W. ...	Mechanician, Posts & Telegraph Dept.	100	" "
Maxwell-Lyte, J. M. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
May, U. C.	4th Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept...	25	" "
Meerch, A. Van der ...	Assistant Engineer, Baro-Kano Railway	200	" "
Megget, J. M. ...	Locomotive Fitter " " " ...	50	1st Jan. 1911
Mends, T. B. F. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	1st July 1911
Mensah, E. ...	Engineer & Fitter, Marine ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Mensah, R. E. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Mensah, S. G. ...	4th " " N. N. Regiment	50	" "
Mensah, T. J. *b* ...	" " " Public Works Dept. ...	25	" "
Merrick, Capt., F. S. ...	Deputy Inspector General of Police ..	200	" "
Merron, P. ...	Keeper of Gaols	100	" "
Mettle, T. J. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Micah, F. B. ...	" " " Prov. Administration	25	" "

a Transferred to Southern Nigeria 30/6/11. *b* Transferred to Audit Department 14/12/11.

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Michael, T. A. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Middleton, H. H. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Migeod, C. O. ...	3rd Class "	300	" "
Migeod, G.	Collector of Customs	300	" "
Miller, J. ...	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Miller, J. A. A. ...	2nd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist	25	" "
Miller-Sterling, H. J. G...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Mills, J. D. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine ...	25	" "
Mills, J. O. ...	" " " Customs	25	1st Feb. 1911
Mills, J. T. ...	2nd " " Treasury	25	1st Jan. 1911
Mills, T.	Blacksmith, Public Works Dept. ...	25	" "
Mills, T. J.	2nd Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Mingle, C. L. ...	" " " Prov. Administration ...	50	" "
Moiser, B.	Medical Officer	50	" "
Molyneux, J. ...	Assistant Resident	200	22nd Mar. 1911
Moma, ...	Master, Marine	25	1st Jan. 1911
Monk, G. L. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Monkhouse E.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Monney, S. A. C. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	" "
Monro, H. D. C. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Moore, T. S. ...	3rd Grade Postmaster	25	" "
Moreira, M. A. ...	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Morgan, J. C. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	" "
Morgan, J. G. ...	Chief Clerk, Treasury	100	" "
Morgan, J. I. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Morgan, W. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Morgan-Owen, H. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Morgue J. F. M. ..	4th Grade Clerk, N.N. Regiment ...	50	1st Aug. 1911
Morrison, W. ...	Medical Officer	50	1st Jan. 1911
Morson, J. O. ...	4th Grade Clerk, N.N. Regiment ...	50	" "
Mould, W. J. ...	Chief Clerk, Treasury	100	" "
Mullen, T. R. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	" "
Murphy, T. H. ...	Boilermaker, Marine	50	" "
Musa, ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Musgrove, G. I. *a* ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Muzel, J. L.	" " " " " ...	25	1st Nov. 1911
N			
Nai, L. A ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Apl. 1911
Nana, T. B. O. ...	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway ..	25	1st Jan. 1911
Ndwaguba, T. A. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Neill, M.	Senior Transport Officer	200	" "
Nelson, C. D. ...	Chief Registrar	100	" "
Nelson, O.	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Nelson, T. D. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	" "
Neville, G. W. H. *b* ...	3rd Class Resident	300	" "
Newport, A. ...	Traffic Inspector, Baro-Kano Railway...	100	" "
Newton, T. C. ..	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Nicholls, G. W. ...	Fitter, Baro-Kano Railway ...	50	1st Sept. 1911
Nicol, D.	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	1st Jan. 1911.
Nicol, E. K.... ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Nicol, L. H. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	5th June 1911
Nicol, S. T.... ...	Postmaster	100	1st Jan. 1911
Nimrod E. F. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Norman, G. B. ...	Medical Officer	50	" "

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Norman, J. B. ...	Engineer, Marine	25	1st Jan. 1911
Norton-Traill, H. L. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Nartey, J. G. ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Nartey, J. P. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	" "
Nortey, W. B. ...	2nd " " Transport Dept. ...	50	" "
Nortey, ...	Engineer & Fitter, Marine ...	25	" "
Nosworthy, E. P. ...	Marine Officer	50	1st Feb. 1911
Nugent, Capt. G. O. ...	Acting Chief Assistant Secretary ...	50	1st Mar. 1911
Nunoo, B. E. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	1st Jan. 1911
Nwadimuye, C. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Nyako, D. D. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept....	25	" "
Nylander, C. C. ...	2nd " " Prov. Administration ...	50	" "
Nylander, F. V *a* ...	4th " " " " ...	25	" "
O			
O'Brien, P. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway, ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Ocansey, E. B. D. ...	4th Grade Clerk, N.N. Regiment	50	" "
Odamtten, L. G. H.	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Odiakah, J. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano, Railway ...	25	" "
Odoi, J. A. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept...	25	" "
Odoi, W. H. ...	4th " " Marine	25	" "
Odonkor, J. ...	3rd " " Prov. Administration ...	50	" "
Odukwe, J. ...	" " Sorter & Telegraphist ..	25	" "
Ogbogu, T. A. ...	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Ogene, M. A. ...	Telegraph Operator, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Ogoo, James *b* ..	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
O'Hara, W. J. ...	Assistant Postmaster-General ...	300	" "
Ojo, ...	Engineer & Fitter, Marine	25	" "
Okudi, D. ...	" Marine	25	" "
Okuwadame, S. ...	Telegraph Operator, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Oldfield, J. A. ...	Traffic Inspector " " ...	200	" "
Olima, P. O.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Oni, J. ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Onuora, M. ...	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Onwukah, G. ...	Assistant Guard " " ...	25	" "
Orme, T. H. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Sept. 1911
Ormerod, R. G. ...	Fitter, " " ...	50	1st Jan. 1911
Okyne, ...	Engine Driver, Public Works Dept. ...	25	" "
Ogunsholla, ...	" "	25	" "
P			
Page, A. M. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Palm, N. R. ...	Engineer & Fitter, Marine	25	" "
Palmer, A. E. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Palmer, T. W. ...	4th " " " "	25	" "
Palmer, R. F.	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Palmer, H. R. *c*	3rd Class Resident ..	300	" "
Panaki, D. A. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Marine ...	25	" "
Panaki, ...	Engineer & Fitter, Marine ...	25	" "
Paris, H. A. ...	3rd Grade Postmaster ...	25	" "
Parker, A. G. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Parker, J. S. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	1st Aug. 1911
Parsons, A. C. ...	Medical Officer ...	50	1st Jan. 1911
Patnelli, W. G. H. *d* ...	Clerk, Cantonment Magistrate's Office	25	" "

a Resigned 10/4/11. *b* Discharged 1/10/11. *c* Appointed Commissioner for Native Revenue 1/4/11
d Appointment terminated 30/11/11.

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		£	
Paul, A. H. D. ...	Assistant Resident ...	200	1st Jan. 1911.
Paul, S. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Transport Dept. ...	25	" "
Payne, J. F. ...	" " Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Pearce, W. F. ...	Marine Officer ...	50	1st Sept. 1911
Pearson, J. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	12th Apl. 1911
Pedro, S. M. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Pembleton, E. S. ...	Assistant Resident ...	200	" "
Peters, J. ..	Engineer & Fitter, Marine ...	25	1st Nov. 1911
Peters, J. E. ...	4th Grade Clerk, N.N. Regiment ...	50	1st Jan. 1911
Phillips, J. A. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Phillips, T. B. ...	Assistant Treasurer ...	200	" "
Pike, Frank ...	Assistant Engineer, Baro-Kano Railway ...	200	" "
Pike, R. N. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Pillow, C. N. ...	Marine Officer ...	50	" "
Pirie, G. J. ...	Medical " ...	50	1st July 1911
Pittendrigh, J. W. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Pobee, E. A. ...	4th " Clerk, Marine ...	25	" "
Pollard, J. M. W. ...	Medical Officer ...	50	" "
Pollock, W. T. C.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Pomeroy, G. G. ...	" " "	100	15th Feb. 1911
Pool, W.	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Porch, M. P. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Porteous, E. J.	Medical Officer	50	" "
Postance, M. A. ...	Shipwright, Marine	50	" "
Powell, L. A. W. ...	Foreman, Public Works Dept. ..	100	20th Dec. 1911
Powter, J.	Traffic Assistant, Baro-Kano Railway...	100	22nd Mar. 1911
Prankerd, H. A. ...	Assistant Resident	200	1st Jan. 1911
Pratt, A. O. ...	Telegraph Operator, Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Pratt, F. G. ...	Assistant Engineer, Public Works Dept.	200	1st Dec. 1911
Pratt, I. T. S. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	1st Jan. 1911
Pratt, J. W. ...	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Pratt, V. A. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	" "
Price, G. F. ...	Assistant Treasurer ...	200	" "
Price, John	Engineer, Marine ...	25	1st Oct. 1911
Price, Capt. J. F. N.	Commissioner of Police ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Price, J. W.	Engineer Marine	25	" "
Prince, J.	Engineer & Fitter, Marine ...	25	" "
Pugh, F.	Telegraph Inspector, B. K. Railway ...	100	1st Aug. 1911
Pugh, W. A. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Purdon, A.	Assistant Marine Superintendent ...	100	" "
Putron, H. de ...	Assistant Resident ...	200	" "
Pritchard, W. ...	Inspector Telegraphs B. K. Railway ...	100	" "
Q			
Quabi, R. E. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Customs	100	1st Jan. 1911
Quaipah, S. P. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Quarjoe, A. ...	Blacksmith, Public Works Dept. ...	25	" "
Quarshie, E. ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Quartey, E. W. ..	3rd Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept. ...	25	" "
Quartey, G. H. M.	4th Grade Clerk, Marine ...	25	1st June. 1911
Quartey, J. W. ...	1st Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	1st Jan. 1911
Quartey, R. C. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	1st May. 1911
Quaye, J. A. ...	2nd Grade Clerk, Marine ...	50	1st Jan. 1911
Quaye, R. A. ...	4th " " " ...	25	" "
Quist, S. J. ...	4th " " " ...	25	" "

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		£	
R			
Radcliff, J.	Senior Transport Officer ...	200	1st Jan. 1911
Rae, K. T. ...	Superintendent Cotton Industry ...	100	" "
Ralph, J. C.	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Ray, S.	Chief Accountant, Marine ..	300	" "
Reffel J. A. ...	4th Grade Clerk "	25	1st Oct. 1911
Reynolds, C. G. ...	Accountant, Baro-Kano Railway ..	200	1st Mar. 1911
Rhodes, S. ...	Foreman, Public Works Department ...	100	27th Dec. 1911
Ridsdale, A. C. ...	Deputy Director, Public Works	300	1st Jan. 1911
Ritchie, N. E. ...	Foreman, Public Works Department ...	100	1st Dec. 1911
Roberts, H. B. ..	2nd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Roberts, J. ...	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway ..	25	" "
Robertson, F. K. ..	4th Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Robins, J. F. ...	Fitter, Marine	50	1st Aug. 1911
Robinson, T. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Jan. 1911
Robinson, S ...	Linesman, " " ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Rockson, J. ...	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Romaine, S. B. ...	4th Grade Clerk, " " ...	25	" "
Rose, J. E. ..	Assistant Guard " " ...	25	" "
Rowe, Capt. C. F. ...	2nd Class Resident	500	" "
Rowland, R. R., Sapper...	Surveyor	25	1st Mar. 1911
Royal, E. ...	Plater, Marine	50	1st Jan. 1911
Ruthven, T. O. B. ...	Assistant Loco. Supdt. B. K. Railway...	300	" "
Ruscoe, J. G. ...	" Accountant " "	100	1st May. 1911
Ruxton, Capt. F. ...	1st Class Resident ...	500	1st Jan. 1911
Ryan, H. B. ...	3rd " "	300	" "
S			
Saba, ...	Master, Marine	25	1st Jan. 1911
Saba, J. A. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept...	25	" "
Sackey, A. H. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Sam, A. E. ...	4th " " Prov. Administration	25	" "
Sam, C. B. A. ...	3rd " Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Sam, F. M. ...	4th " Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Sam, J. S. ...	4th " " " " ...	25	" "
Sampson, U. R. ...	4th " " " " ...	25	" "
Samuels, A. Z. ...	4th " Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Sankoh, W. D.	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Santos, R. O. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept.	25	" "
Sargeant, M. ...	4th " Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Saunders, W. ...	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Sawyerr, D. E. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway... ...	500	" "
Sciortino, J. C.	2nd Class Resident	200	" "
Seccombe, G. ..	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Seymour, A. R. ...	" Engineer, B. K. Railway ...	200	" "
Shaddo ...	Engine Driver, Bauchi Light Railway	25	" "
Shamp, E. S. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway	100	" "
Sharpe, Major W. S. ...	2nd Class Resident	500	" "
Shaw, B. E. B. ...	Forestry Officer	100	" "
Shaw, R. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	5th Apl. 1911
Shipway, A. C. ...	Traffic Inspector, Baro-Kano Railway	100	1st Jan. 1911
Shortell, E. ...	Locomotive Fitter, " " ...	50	" "
Silcock, J. A. .	Assistant Resident	200	" "

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		£	
Simon, J. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Slingsby, W. E. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Smith, Chas. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Smith, F. ...	Engineer, Marine	50	" "
Smith, F. U. ...	Superintendent, Nassarawa Schools ...	100	1st Sept. 1911
Smith, G. S. ...	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Smith, J. A. ...	" " " ...	25	" "
Smith, J. D. ...	Engineer, Marine	25	" "
Smith, J. N. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Smith, N. F. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Smith, R. S. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Sobambi, J. ...	3rd Grade Postmaster	25	" "
Solomon, A. C. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Solomon, A. G. ...	" " " Baro-Kano Railway	25	" "
Solomon, G. A. ...	" " " Prov. Administration	25	" "
Solomon, H. E. ..	" " " " " ...	25	" "
Solomon, H. G.	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway...	25	" "
Soper, F. W. P.	Commissioner of Police	100	" "
Spencer, E. K. ..	Chief Telegraph Operator, ..	50	" "
Spencer, M.	Telegraph Operator, Baro-Kano R'way.	25	" "
Spiff, S. B. ...	4th Grade Sorter, & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Spooner, G. ...	Truck Fitter, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Squire, J. S. K. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Stephens, F. R. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Oct. 1911
Stewart, James ...	Storekeeper, Public Works Dept. ...	200	22nd Mar. 1911
Stewart, J. A. E. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Stier, H.	Assistant Engineer, B. K. Railway ...	200	" "
Stobart, E. St. C. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Stone, T.	" Commissioner of Police ...	100	" "
Suli, ...	Master, Marine	25	" "
Sutherland, J. ...	Boilermaker, Baro-Kano Railway ...	50	1st Sept. 1911
Swainson, J. ...	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Swann, A. J. T. ...	Medical Officer	50	" "
Swill, G. H. ...	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
T			
Taylor, C. C. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Taylor, E. G.	Station Master, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Taylor, H. E. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine ...	25	1st June 1911
Taylor, S. C. ...	Assistant Resident	200	1st Jan. 1911
Temple, G.	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	19th June 1911
Tham, P. N. ...	1st Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept ...	50	1st Jan. 1911
Thatcher, H. J. ...	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Thomas, A.	Assistant Guard " " ...	25	" "
Thomas, D. R. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Thomas, L. S. *a* ...	Senior Clerk, Cant. Magis. Office ...	50	" "
Thomas, M. A. X. ...	2nd Grade Clerk, Marine ...	25	" "
Thomas, O. H. ...	Assistant Chief Clerk, P W. Dept. ...	50	" "
Thomas, W. M. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway...	25	" "
Thompson, E. G. ...	Engine Driver, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Thompson, J. J. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Customs ...	100	" "
Thompson, J. M. ...	4th " " Prov. Administration	25	" "
Thompson, J. T. E. ...	Storekeeper, Police Dept. ...	50	" "
Thompson, J. W. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Thompson, W. B. ...	3rd Class Resident	300	" "

a. Retired 16/8/11.

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Name of Officer giving Security.	Exact Title of *all* appointments (either permanent or temporary) held by him during the year.	Amount of Bond	Date of Entrance.
		£	
Thompstone, S. W. C.M.G. *a*	Principal Medical Officer	50	1st Jan. 1911
Thomson, J. A. ...	2nd Grade Clerk. N. N. Regiment ...	50	" "
Thorpe, C. C. ...	1st Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	50	" "
Thorpe, G. L. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Thorpe, S. A. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Tomlinson, G. J. F. ...	3rd Class Resident ...	300	" "
Townsend, C. ...	Traffic Inspector, Baro-Kano Railway...	100	" "
Tomsett, A. P. ...	Deputy Chief Const. Acct., B.K. Railway	300	" "
Trumper, W. A. ...	Medical Officer ...	50	" "
Tuke, S. C.	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Turner, Corpl. A. R. *b* ...	Surveyor	25	" "
Tweedie, T. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Twomey, G. R. ...	Medical Officer ...	50	" "
U			
Ujeze, J.	1st Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Jan, 1911
Uniacke, Capt. A. G.	Commissioner of Police ...	100	" "
Uniacke, Capt. G. L. ...	Assistant Resident ...	200	" "
Unokoh, D. A. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
V			
Van De Puije V. ...	1st Grade Clerk Treasury ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Vanderpalen, J. A. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Vartey, J. ...	Engineer, Marine ...	25	" "
Vaughan, F. J. ...	Loco. Fitter, Baro-Kano Railway . .	50	1st Sept. 1911
Vereker, T. H. P. ...	Assistant Resident ...	200	1st Jan. 1911
Vertue, G. N. ...	3rd Class Resident ..	300	" "
Verrissimo, M. F. ...	3rd Grade Postmaster ...	25	" "
Vincent, C. M. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Vincent, J. W. ...	Male Nurse ...	25	" "
Vischer Hans, ...	Director of Education ...	200	" "
W			
Walkden, L.	Guard, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Walker, C. D. *c* ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Pubilc Works Dept.	25	" "
Walker, J. C. ...	Assistant Resident ...	200	" "
Wallbach, Capt. D. A. ...	Chief Transport Officer ...	300	" "
Walton, W. I.	Assistant Comaissioner of Police ...	100	" "
Waterhouse, J. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Waters, B. E. M. ...	Assistant Resident ...	200	" "
Waters, E. ...	Fitter, Baro-Kano Railway ...	50	1st Nov. 1911
Waters, T. J. ...	Asst. Engineer, Baro-Kano Railway ...	200	1st Jan. 1911
Watson, C. E. S. *d* ...	Senior Medical Officer ...	50	1st Jan. 1911
Watson, C. F. ...	Medical Officer	50	" "
Watts, H. C. ...	Engine Driver Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Oct. 1911
Webber, W. W. *e* ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Jan. 1911
Webster, G. W. ...	2nd Class Resident ...	500	" "
Wellington, T. G. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Wellington, J. A. ...	4th Grade Clerk Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Welsing, P. A. ...	4th " " " " " ...	25	1st Aug 1911
Whalley, G. A. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	1st Jan. 1911

a Retired 1/8/11. *b* Returned to Regiment 22/3/11. *c* Resigned 31/12/11. *d* Transferred to the Gold Coast 12/9/11
e Appointment terminated 31/4/11.

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		£	
Whineray, S. B. ...	Examiner of Accounts, B. K Railway...	100	1st June 191
White, Capt. Ion *a* ...	Assistant Resident ...	200	1st Jan. 191
White, W. ...	Asst. Loco. Supdt. Baro-Kano Railway...	300	" "
Wightwick, C. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Wilcox, J. P. ...	Engineer & Fitter, Marine ...	25	" "
Wileman, G. A. ...	Chief Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Wileman, J. L. ...	Foreman " " ...	100	1st July 191
Wilkinson, J. O. ...	Engineer & Fitter, Marine ...	25	1st Jan. 191
Will, J. P. ...	Accountant, Baro-Kano Railway ...	200	" "
Willan, R. ...	Medical Officer ...	50	" "
Willans, J. F. ...	Assistant Loco. Superintendent, B.K.R.	300	1st Sept. 191
Williams, A. B. *b* ...	2nd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Jan. 191
Williams, A. B. R. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Williams, A. G. ...	Telegraph Operator, Baro-Kano Rly. ...	25	" "
Williams, B. J. ...	Asst. Guard, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Williams, D. E. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Williams, D. G. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Nov. 191
Williams, D. O. ...	2nd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Jan. 191
Williams, G. A. ...	1st Class Compositor, Printing ..	25	" "
Williams, G. A. ...	3rd Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Williams, J. A.	3rd Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Williams, J. F. *c* ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Williams, J. O. ...	Engineer, Marine ...	25	" "
Williams, L. *d* ...	Master, Marine ...	25	" "
Williams, R. E. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Williams, R. F. ...	Medical Officer	50	" "
Williams, R. G. ...	Assistant Resident	200	22nd Mar. 191
Williams, S. B. ...	Clerk, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	1st Jan. 191
Williams, T. ...	Foreman, Baro-Kano Railway ...	100	" "
Williams, T. G. *e* ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Williams, V. E. *f* ...	" " Clerk, Treasury ...	25	" "
Williams, V. S. ...	Senior Clerk, Cant. Mag. Office ...	50	" "
Williams, W. A. *g* ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	" "
Williams, Z. B. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Willoughby, J. W. ...	4th Grade Clerk, N. N. Regiment ...	50	" "
Wilson, A. E. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Marine	25	" "
Wilson, G. M. ...	4th " Sorter & Telegraphist	25	" "
Wilson, J. A. ...	4th " " Prov. Administration	25	1st Sept. 191
Wilson, J. S. ...	3rd " " " ...	50	1st Jan. 191
Wilson, J. W. ...	2nd " Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Wilson, W. J. ...	4th " " " ...	25	" "
Wilson, Z. C.	2nd " " " ...	25	" "
Wingate, G. R. ...	Assistant Collector of Customs ...	200	" "
Wood, S. R. ...	4th Grade Clerk N. N. Regiment ...	50	1st July 191
Wood, T. R. ...	4th " "	25	" "
Woodell, L. L. ..	Storekeeper, Marine	200	1st Jan. 191
Woodhouse, C. A. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Woolley, H. M. ...	Postmaster-General	500	" "
Wright, B. D. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept. ...	25	" "
Wright, E. A. *h* ...	4th " Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	" "
Wright, F. F. ...	" " " " ...	25	" "
Wright, G. A. ...	Native Sub-Inspector Telegraphs ...	25	" "
Wright, H. E. ...	Loco. Fitter, Baro-Kano Railway ...	50	" "
Wrightson. C. ...	Engineer, Marine	50	" "
Wyndham, V. E. ...	4th Grade Sorter & Telegraphist ...	25	1st Oct. 191

Retired 4/7/11. *a* Appointment terminated 31/8/11. *c* Died 22/8/11. *d* Died 28/3/11. *e* Resigned 31/10/11. *f* Appointment terminated 3/7/11. *g* Dismissed 2/6/11. *h* Appointment terminated 10/8/11.

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Y		£	
Yalley, A. W.	3rd Grade Clerk, N.N. Regiment ...	50	1st Jan. 1911
Yates, C. C. ...	Assistant Resident	200	" "
Yawson, J. A. ...	3rd Grade Clerk, Public Works Dept. ...	25	" "
Yebuah, C. A.	Stationmaster, Baro-Kano Railway ...	25	" "
Yesefu ...	Master, Marine ...	25	" "
Yormah, A. J. ...	4th Grade Clerk, Prov. Administration	25	" "
Young, James ...	Traffic Inspector, Baro-Kano Railway	100	1st Feb. 1911

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PLACE OF OBSERVATION	TEMPERATURE. Highest in the Shade.	Lowest in the Shade.	Mean.	Greatest Diurnal Variation.	Mean relative Humidity 9 a.m.	RAINFALL. Total.	Maximum on one day.	Daily average.	No. of days on which rain fell.	Prevailing Wind.	OBSERVER
	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.			
NOVEMBER.											
Wamba - -	95	57	81·6	35	45	·09	·06	·003	2	W.	Dr Morrison
Sokoto- - -	95	61	79	29	29	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Inness.
Ankpa- - -	88	61	77	22	81	·06	·06	·002	1	S.W.	Dr. Davies.
Birnin-Kebbi -	99	56	78·3	38	43	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr Lindsay.
Yola - - -	98	64	82·5	31	57	—	—	—	—	W.	Dr. Pollard.
DECEMBER.											
Zungeru - -	99	56	78·5	43	47	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Hall
Birnin-Kebbi -	96	50	72·1	35	35	—		—	—	N.E.	Dr. Black.
Yola - - -	98	60	79·4	35	53	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Pollard.
Baro - - -	98	61	80·5	33	58	—	—	—	—	S.W.	Dr. Willan.
Ankpa- - -	94	64	79·1	27	56	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Parsons.
Wamba - -	96	53	76·2	38	35	—	—	—	—	W.	Dr. Morrison.
Nafada- - -	101	44	71·6	52	28	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Jeffreys.
Geidam - -	96	46	72·4	41	35	—	—	—	—	E.	Dr. Cobb.
Kontagora - -	99	54	78·5	44	28	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Capt. Burnside & Dr. McCay.
Zaria - - -	95	47	68·9	41	36	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Taylor.
Kano - - -	95	41	66·6	47	34	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. McGahey.
Ilorin - - -	94	52	76·4	39	56	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Twomey.
Katagum - -	97	45	70·5	41	46	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Chesnaye.
Bauchi- - -	94	—	—	—	31	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Percival.
Sokoto- - -	91	56	73·3	30	30	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Inness.
Ibi - - -	97	58	77·5	37	45	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Capt. Bissell.
Maiduguri - -	95	44	71	42	37	—	—	—	—	E.	Dr. McLeay.
Lokoja- - -	95	58	77·93	34	63	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Adams.

15th February, 1913.

W. GORDON HALL
Acting P. M. O.

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NEWS CIRCULAR NO. 5.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 3RD FEBRUARY, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 26th January :—
(Woermann Line) :—

Mr. R. Sydney Smith, Asst. Resident.

29th January :—

Lieuts. H. N. Fairbank and H. S. L. Scott, N. N. R., Dr. C. F. Watson, Senior Medical Officer.

SAILINGS; LAGOS 26TH JANUARY,
(Woermann Line) :—

Mr. St. C. E. Stobart, Asst. Resident.

BURUTU, 29th January :— Nil.

LAGOS, 30th January :—

Mr. P. M. Dwyer, 2nd Class Resident, Lieut. A. P. Garnier, and Sergt. H. Canning, N.N.R.

ARRIVALS: LAGOS, 24th January :—

Lieut. R. B. Clifton, N. N. R., Dr. B. Moiser, Medical Officer, Mr. C. S. Burnett, Asst. Resident.

BURUTU, 25th January :—

Civil Armourer R. Hill, N. N. R. Miss. M E. Thomson, Nurse, Medical.

POSTINGS :—

Sydney Smith transferred to Survey Department from Political and Administrative and posted Nassarawa Schools Kano.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 6.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 8TH FEBRUARY, 1913.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 5th February :—

Capt. F. E. Bissell, Medical Officer, Lieut. G. Darwell, N. N. R.

LAGOS. 6th February :—

Major H D. Larymore, C. M. G., 2nd Class Resident, Mr. A. C. Francis, 3rd Class Resident, Drs. R. Willan, and C. T. Costello, Medical Officers.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS. 29th January :—

Capt. W. J. Maule, N. N. R.

1st February :—

Sergt. C. L. Chandless, N. N. R.

Telegraph line to Jemaa in Nassarawa completed today.

His Excellency and Staff left Zungeru night of the 4th instant, arrived Lokoja 6th and left on the 7th for Idah etc.

NORTHERN NIGERIA.
No. 7.

Naraguta, Northern Nigeria.
17th January, 1913.

Sir,

In a separate despatch I had the honour to report on the attitude of the Native Chiefs and people as shewn by the recent Durbar at Kano. The same occasion afforded me an opportunity of reviewing the troops of Northern Nigeria Regiment and I have the honour to submit a few remarks concerning them.

2. There were present on parade Artillery 108, Mounted Infantry 190, Infantry 490,—including 36 European Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers, viz: a total of 824 of all ranks. I was greatly impressed with the smartness in bearing and equipment and steadiness in the ranks of all arms.

3. The march past was admirably executed and although where all were so good, it would seem invidious to single out any corps for special mention, the march past of the Mounted Infantry at the trot and at the gallop was an exceptionally good test of training and discipline and was wonderfully well executed.

4. I desire to record my appreciation of the very high standard of efficiency to which the Northern Nigeria Regiment has been brought which reflects the highest credit on Colonel Strickland and the British Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers.

I have etc.,

(Sgd) F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

The Right Honourable,
LEWIS HARCOURT, M.P.,
Secretary of State for the Colonies,
&c., &c., &c.

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Government Notices.

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THE Secretary of State has issued the following instructions on the subject of the amount of baggage accompanying Government officials which may be conveyed free of cost by the Railway or the Niger Transport system. viz :—

	1st Class Officials	2nd Class Officials
From the Coast	18 cwt.	15 cwt.
To the Coast	10 cwt.	8 cwt.

2. Freight on all baggage in excess of these amounts must be paid for by officers at the usual rates for Railway or Niger Transport.

3. This order, which comes into force as from 1st January 1913, amends the order published in Notice No. 717 in Government Gazette No. 23 of 1912.

87 **Native Courts.**

WARRANTS establishing Native Courts under the Native Courts Proclamation with the approval of the Governor, under the Seal of the Protectorate, have been issued as under :—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of warrant.
Yola	"B"	Alkalin Court Giri	1st Oct. 12.
Muri	"D"	Judicial Council of Tshendam	27th Jan. 12.

The Warrant establishing Alkalis Courts of Jibu and Yelwa "D" grade (Muri Province) dated 2nd March 1906, and Judicial Council, "C" Grade of Tunga dated 10th July 1907 are cancelled.

88

WARRANTS establishing Native Courts under the Native Courts Proclamation with the approval of the Governor under the Seal of the Protectorate, have been issued as under:—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of Warrant.
Central	"C"	Alkalis' Court of Dukul	24th July 12
"	"D"	Alkalis' Court of Top	25th Sept 12
Ilorin	"C"	Judicial Council of Isanlu	31st Oct 12
"	"	Judicial Council of Malete & Districts	"
"	"	Judicial Council of Igbodja	"
Kontagora	"B"	Alkalis' Court of Yelwa	3rd Dec 12
"	"	Judicial Council of Sakaba	5th Nov 12
Niger	"C"	Judicial Council of Jebba	1st Oct 12
"	"	Judicial Council of Badeggi	"
"	"	Judicial Council of Muregi	"
Yola	"C"	Alkalis' Court of Numan	1st Oct 12

Note:— Above notice cancels notice No. 756 Gazette No. 24 of 31st December 1912.

89 **Change of Station.**

THE Intelligence Office moved to Kaduna on the 3rd instant, and the Staff Quartermaster's Office moved to Kaduna on the 12th instant.

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The Brigade Major's Office will move to Kaduna on or about 6th March, after which date no further correspondence should be sent to Zungeru.

Departure.

Captain G. F. Watherston, Northern Rhodesia Police, (temporarily attached 2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.,) left Lokoja on the 7th February, 1913, for Rhodesia.

90 **Rise and Fall of the River Benue.**

FOR THE MONTH ENDING DECEMBER, 31ST 1912.

Date.	RIVER BENUE.			
	Ibi.		Abinsi.	
	Rise ins.	Fall ins.	Rise ins.	Fall ins.
Week ending 8th	—	9	—	5
do. 15th	—	12½	—	6½
do. 22nd	—	7½	—	6
do. 29th	—	2½	—	7½
30th to 31st	—	—	—	1
Total Fall ...	31½" (2ft'. 7½ins.)		26" (2ft'. 2"ins.)	

91 DAILY RISE AND FALL OF RIVER NIGER, FOR MONTH ENDING 31ST. JANUARY, 1913. STATION LOKOJA.

Date.	Rise.	Fall.	Total		Remarks.
	ins.	ins.	ft.	ins.	
1	—	2	8	7	
2	—	3	8	4	
3	—	—	8	4	
4	—	2	8	2	
5	—	—	8	2	
6	—	—	8	2	
7	—	3	7	11	
8	—	—	7	11	
9	—	2	7	9	
10	—	—	7	9	
11	—	—	7	9	
12	—	2	7	7	
13	—	—	7	7	
14	—	—	7	7	
15	—	1	7	6	
16	—	—	7	6	
17	—	—	7	6	
18	—	1	7	5	
19	4	—	7	9	
20	—	—	7	9	
21	—	1	7	8	
22	—	—	7	8	
23	1	—	7	9	
24	—	—	7	9	
25	—	—	7	9	
26	—	1	7	8	
27	—	—	7	8	
28	2	—	7	10	
29	—	1	7	9	
30	2	—	7	11	
31	1	—	7	12	
	10ins.	19ins.	Total Fall 9ins.		

92 Errata.

Notice No. 765 Gazette No. 24 of 1912, the date from which Mr. F. F. Hopkins, acted as Chief Assistant Secretary, is 9th September 1912, and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 10 Gazette No. 1 of 1913, the date from which Mr. F. M. Urling-Smith, acted as Director of Education, is 25th December 1912, and not as stated therein.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria
28th February, 1913.

93 Post Office Notices.

A Post and Telegraph Office has been opened at Kaduna.

H. M. WOOLLEY,
Postmaster-General.

94

A Post and Telegraph Office has been opened at Jemaa Nassarawa Province.

H. M. WOOLLEY,
Postmaster-General.

(SECOND INSERTION.)

95 JUDICIAL NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of Northern Nigeria.

NOTICE is hereby given that Joshua John Peele, Esquire, Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Judicature of England has been admitted and enrolled as Barrister and Solicitor of the Supreme Court of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria on the 24th day of December, 1912.

C. D. NELSON,
Chief Registrar.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
16th January, 1913.

96

The Patents Proclamation.

(NO 9 OF 1910 CHAPTER XXXVI.)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 10 of the above Proclamation that the Registrar of Patents has received from Mr. Arthur Richards of 31, Chepstow Place, Bayswater, in the County of London, England, Engineer and Metallurgist, an application for

the grant of a Patent for an invention entitled "An improved process for the recovery of tin from ores and other tin bearing materials by conversion into volatile tin compounds."

The Complete Specification of the invention has been accepted.

The application and Complete Specification are open for public inspection at the Patents Office during office hours.

Any person desiring to oppose this application must send to the Registrar of Patents notice of such opposition within three months from the date hereof.

Dated the 7th day of February, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Registrar of Patents.

Patents Office,

Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

97

In the matter of the Estate of the late D. A. Cummings, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late D. A. Cummings, deceased who died at Zaria on the 30th day of January 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Assistant Resident Charles John Caytor, the Provisional Administrator at Zaria on or before the 30th day of April 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 12th day of January, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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Commission.

98 The following Commission has been issued:—

Name.	Appointment.	Nature of Commission.	Province.	Period.	Date of Commission.
Mr. C. O. Migeod ...	3rd Class Resident ...	To exercise full Judicial powers of a Resident while the Resident is absent on tour.	Central ...	—	8th Feb 1913.

Appointments and Assumption of Duty.

99

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Sergt. J. E. Crawley, R.A.M.C. ...	Sergeant	Medical	12th Feb. 1913	1st March 1913.
Sapper Short, R. E.	— —	Tinfields Survey ...	do.	28th February 1913
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. William Robert Boi Smith ...	4th Grade Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	1st Nov. 1912.	(*Engaged locally.*)

Acting Appointments.

100

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. M. L. Liddard	Political and Administrative	2nd Assistant Secretary	25th December 1912.	
Mr. M. P. Porch	do. do. ...	Resident Zaria	1st February 1913.	
Mr. H. R. Palmer	do. do. ...	Resident Ilorin	11th February 1913.	

Termination of Appointment.

101

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Captain E. F. N. Burton	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	Police	14th January 1913 ...	Ill-health.

Leave of Absence.

102

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months.	Days.	Months.	Days.			
Mr. H. H. Middleton ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	13th Feb. 1913	Full salary.
Mr. J. Howell	Foreman of Works, P.W.D. ...	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Major W. S. Sharpe, C. M. G. ...	2nd Class Resident	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	19th Feb. 1913	—	do.
Major F. Edgar	Assistant Resident	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	do.	—	do.
Mr. L. A. W. Powell ...	Foreman of Works, P. W. D. ...	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	20th Feb. 1913	do.
Capt. F. A. E. Godwin ...	Commissioner of Police	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	27th Feb. 1913	do.
Dr. F. W. McCay	Medical Officer	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.

Extension of Leave.

103

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Mr. G. R. Matthews ...	Principal Assistant Secretary ...	1 week	5th Feb. 1913	11th Feb. 1913	Without salary. Urgent private affairs.

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104 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Mr. H. Stier	Assistant Engineer	Nigerian Railway	24th August 1912.	
Mr. R. A. Lloyd	do.	Public Works	22nd December 1912.	
Mr. R. Sydney Smith	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	11th February 1913.	
Dr. C. F. Watson	Senior Medical Officer	Medical	14th February 1913.	
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. A. Ackah	4th Grade Sorting Clerk & Telegraphist	Post and Telegraphs ...	25th January 1913.	
C. R. Cooke	3rd Grade Sorting Clerk & Telegraphist	do. ...	31st January 1913.	
Mr. E. R. Silva	4th Grade Clerk	Chief Secretary's	7th February 1913.	

105 **Promotion.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
Mr. F. Le C. Belmar ...	Junior Assistant Treasurer ...	Assistant Treasurer	Treasury	22nd October 1912.

106 **Permanent Staff.**

The undermentioned Native Official, having completed three years service is, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor, placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the date stated against his name :—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. M. A. Latunji	2nd Class Compositor and Machine Printer	Printing	1st June 1907.	

107 **Dismissal.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. I. B. Leigh	Senior Warder	Prisons	2nd December 1912.	

108 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed :—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Captain C. R. U. Savile ...	Brigade Major	N. N. Regt.	Lower Standard Final ...	3rd February 1913.
Lieut. G. V. Breffit	Company Officer	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	Colloquial Test	5th January 1913.
Lieut. C. M. H. Venour ...	do	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	do.	12th February 1913.

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WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

109 Power of Commanding Officer.

Under the provisions of Proclamation No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter XVIII, section 40, the Commandant, Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, has, with the concurrence of the Governor, conferred the Power of Commanding Officer on the following Officer:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Whilst Commanding Detachment at	Date of Warrant.	Remarks.
Lieut. A. W. Balders ...	1st Bn. N. N. Regt.	Katsena ...	27th January 1913.	—
Lieut. F. C. Ferguson ...	do.	Zaria ...	do.	—

110 Leave of Absence.

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers, as regards those proceeding to England, from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the date mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months	Days	Months	Days			
Invalided.								
BRITISH N. C. O.								
2/Sergt. F. C. Richings ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	—	—	—	—	—	13th Feb. 1913	Full Salary.

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

111 Extension of Leave.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.					
Mr. John Amissah ...	3rd Grade Clerk, M. I., N. N. Regt	2 weeks ...	22nd Feb. 1913	8th Mar. 1913 ...	Urgent private affairs. Half salary.

112 Resumption of Duty.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Lieut. W. T. Wyllie ...	Company Officer ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	2nd February 1913.
Lieut. B. C. Ash. ...	do. ...	do. ...	7th February 1913.
Lieut. F. R. Pollock ...	do. ...	do.	8th February 1913.
BRITISH N. C. Os.			
Colour-Sergeant W. Hunsworth ...	Colour Sergeant ...	2nd Bn, N. N. Regt. ...	2nd February 1913.
Sergeant T. A. Vise ...	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	7th February 1913.

113 Promotions.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	With effect from
BRITISH N. C. Os.			
Sergeant A. C. Coveney ...	2nd Rating Sergt., 2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	1st Rating Sergeant ...	26th December 1912.

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114 **Monthly Abstract Account of Cash Receipts and**

No.	RECEIPTS.	In the month of September 1912. £ s. d.	From 1st April 1912 to 31st August 1912 £ s. d.	Total from 1st April 1912 to 30th Sept. 1912 £ s. d.
	Balance 1st April 1912	...	166,149 8 9	166,149 8 9
	Balance 1st September 1912 ...	77,425 1 2	...	...
1	Customs	7,526 16 7	11,317 10 4	18,844 6 11
2	Land Revenue	62,736 15 0	48,559 3 4	111,295 18 4
3	Licences and Internal Revenue ...	208 19 10	1,738 14 8	1,947 14 6
4	Fees of Court, Payments for Specific Services and Reimbursements in aid	1,131 1 1	1,474 0 10	2,605 1 11
5	Post Office and Telegraphs	* 0 0 8	2,469 11 2	2,469 10 6
6	Marine Services	861 1 0	6,128 19 5	6,990 0 5
7	Rents of Government Property ..	93 6 5	1,201 8 5	1,294 14 10
8	Mines	2,887 1 7	4,996 2 4	7,883 3 11
9	Miscellaneous Receipts	28 1 2	432 4 2	460 5 4
		75,473 2 0	78,317 14 8	153,790 16 8
10	Contribution from Southern Nigeria ...	...	35,000 0 0	35,000 0 0
	Total Local Revenue	75,473 2 0	113,317 14 8	188,790 16 8
11	Baro-Kano Railway Receipts ...	12,389 14 0	27,390 3 9	39,779 17 9
12	Bauchi Light Railway Receipts ...	3,370 15 11	7,182 3 9	10,552 19 8
	Total Local Revenue including Railway Receipts	91,233 11 11	147,890 2 2	239,123 14 1
13	Imperial Grant-in-aid	35,000 0 0	30,000 0 0	65,000 0 0
	Total Revenue	126,233 11 11	177,890 2 2	304,123 14 1
	Loan Account Southern Nigeria, Baro-Kano Railway Construction	...	37,000 0 0	37,000 0 0
	Loan Account Imperial Government, Bauchi Light Railway Construction	...	6,000 0 0	6,000 0 0
	Total including Loan Accounts ...	126,233 11 11	220,890 2 2	347,123 14 1
	Advances Repaid Baro-Kano Railway...	17,170 2 6	186,288 1 10	203,458 4 4
	Do. Bauchi Light Railway	...	21,737 12 8	21,737 12 8
	Do. Sundry	1,332 13 4	27,647 5 4	28,979 18 8
	Deposits, Sundry	25,749 16 9	61,120 5 8	86,870 2 5
	,, N. Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	26,716 18 9	26,716 18 9
	Drafts and Remittances	49,811 10 2	167,361 17 0	217,173 7 2
	Imprests	280 9 6	1,148 19 2	1,429 8 8
	Revenue Suspense Account	49 14 1	876 15 7	926 9 8
	Unallocated Stores Suspense Account P.W.D.	2,269 12 0	5,024 16 8	7,294 8 8
	Total Receipts	222,897 10 3	718,812 14 10	941,710 5 1
	Balance due to C.A. (Amt. overpaid) 31/8/12.	...	7,627 2 5	...
	Do. ,, 30/9/12.	5,162 18 6	...	5,162 18 6
	Total including balance ...	305,485 9 11	892,589 6 0	1,113,022 12 4

* Deduct Revenue refunded

Treasury,
Zungeru, 28th January, 1913.

Payments from 1st April 1912 to 30th September 1912.

No.	PAYMENTS.	In the month of September 1912. £ s. d.	From 1st April 1912 to 31st Aug. 1912. £ s. d.	Total from 1st April 1912 to 30th Sept. 1912 £ s. d.
1	Pensions and Gratuities	351 7 10	3,299 5 4	3,650 13 2
2	Governor and Staff	225 6 5	1,549 16 8	1,775 3 1
3	Chief Secretary's Department ...	1,097 14 9	4,585 15 5	5,683 10 2
4	Provincial Administration	8,148 5 8	37,710 15 8	45,859 1 4
5	Treasury Department	968 17 3	2,772 18 11	3,741 16 2
6	Customs ,, ...	501 1 10	1,684 10 9	2,185 12 7
7	Audit ,, ...	363 13 10	1,498 1 8	1,861 15 6
8	Marine ,, ...	3,290 19 10	20,775 1 4	24,066 1 2
9	Legal ,, ...	126 11 6	1,095 17 7	1,222 9 1
10	Police ,, ...	2,494 15 1	11,875 2 2	14,369 17 3
11	Prisons ,, ...	727 15 11	4,925 12 3	5,653 8 2
12	Medical ,, ...	2,746 9 10	15,215 12 9	17,962 2 7
13	Sanitation ,, ...	220 16 5	869 19 5	1,090 15 10
14	Education ,, ...	143 19 8	802 11 7	946 11 3
15	Transport ,, ...	5,622 17 2	10,876 11 4	16,499 8 6
16	Military Expenditure	11,943 10 8	66,074 12 4	78,018 3 0
17	Miscellaneous Services	1,384 11 2	3,057 13 1	4,442 4 3
18	Posts and Telegraph Department ...	2,947 7 4	9,258 6 0	12,205 13 4
19	Agricultural Department	175 8 5	782 17 1	958 5 6
20	Public Works Department	1,025 4 9	4,736 13 9	5,761 18 6
21	Public Works Recurrent	808 9 8	5,010 4 2	5,818 13 10
22	Mines Department	281 5 7	969 11 5	1,250 17 0
23	Cantonments	40 0 0	434 1 5	474 1 5
24	Land and Survey Department ...	104 9 10	656 11 11	761 1 9
	Total Ordinary & Recurrent Expenditure...	45,741 0 5	210,518 4 0	256,259 4 5
25	Public Works Extraordinary ...	2,646 7 2	6,770 3 2	9,416 10 4
26	Telegraphs Extraordinary	177 15 4	1,304 15 6	1,482 10 10
28	Native Affairs	38,227 15 9	18,399 16 8	56,627 12 5
		86,792 18 8	236,092 19 4	323,785 18 0
29	Baro-Kano Railway—(Open lines) ...	9,010 0 1	32,021 18 5	41,031 18 6
30	Bauchi Light Railway ,, ...	1,271 9 3	4,417 5 10	5,688 15 1
31	Interest on Railway Loans	...	24,880 11 7	24,880 11 7
	Total Expenditure ...	97,074 8 0	298,312 15 2	395,387 3 2
	B. K. Railway Construction Expenditure	...	45,721 11 4	45,721 11 4
	Bauchi Light R'way ,, ,, ...	...	21,537 12 8	21,537 12 8
	Total including R'ways ,, ,, ...	97,074 8 0	365,571 19 2	462,646 7 2
	Advances Baro-Kano Railway ...	30,865 6 10	138,337 10 6	169,202 17 4
	,, Bauchi Light Railway ...	5 0 0	6,237 0 5	6,242 0 5
	,, Sundry	3,961 14 8	26,222 19 9	30,184 14 5
	Repayment of Deposits, Sundry ...	16,087 9 10	74,083 2 6	90,170 12 4
	Repayment of Deposits Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	6,916 18 9	6,916 18 9
	Drafts and Remittances	73,824 3 0	163,117 19 3	236,942 2 3
	Imprests	162 0 0	1,542 0 8	1,704 0 8
	Revenue Suspense Account... ...	36 9 9	314 19 3	351 9 0
	Unallocated Stores Suspense Acct. P.W.D.	3,009 4 3	11,819 14 7	14,828 18 10
	Investments, Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	20,000 0 0	20,000 0 0
	Investments, Public Officers' Guarantee Fund	..	1,000 0 0	1,000 0 0
	Total Payments ...	225,025 16 4	815,164 4 10	1,040,190 1 2
	Balance due to C.A. (Amt. overpaid) 31/8/12.	7,627 2 5	...	...
	Balance 31st August 1912	...	77,425 1 2	...
	Balance 30th September 1912... ...	72,832 11 2	...	72,832 11 2
	Total including Balance ..	305,485 9 11	892,589 6 0	1,113,022 12 4

J. H. BRATT,
Treasurer.

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No. 4 OF 1913.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 7.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 15TH FEBRUARY 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 5th February :—
Nil.

12th February :—
Sergt. J. E. Crawley, R.A.M.C., Sergt. Medical, Sapper Short, R.E., Tinfield Survey, Mr. G. R. Matthews, Principal Asst. Secretary, Mr. B. Hodges, First Asst. Secretary, Lieut. H. H. Hebden, Armourer Sergt. A. Cole and Sergts. J. Waterson and J. P. Loughran, N. N. R., Mr. C. L. Anderson, Asst. Treasurer.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 12th February :—
Nil.

LAGOS, 11th February, (Woermann Line) :—
Mr W. Hudson, Deputy Postmaster-General.

13th February :—
Mr. H. H. Middleton, Asst. Resident, Mr. J. Howell, Foreman of Works, P. W. D., Sergt. F. C. Richings, N. N. R.

ARRIVALS; BURUTU, 2nd February :—
Lieut. W. T. Wyllie, and Sergt. H. W. Hunsworth, N. N. R.

LAGOS, 7th February :—
Miss. M. A. Ward, Nurse, Medical, Lieut. B. C. Ash and Sergt. T. A. Vise, N. N. R., Mr. V. F. Biscoe, Asst. Resident, Mr. A. E. Goodwin, Asst. Keeper of Gaols, Sert. T. E. Oliver, R.A.M.C., Sergeant, Medical.

BURUTU, 8th February :—
Dr. C. E. S. Watson, Senior Medical Officer, Mr. J. A. Ley-Greaves, 2nd Class Resident, Lieut. F. R. Pollock, N. N. R.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 8.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 22nd February 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 19th February :—
Miss. M. G. Bathgate, Nurse, Medical, Lieuts. J. G. J. Kilkelly, L. N. A. Mackinnon, Capt. I. G. Sewell, and Sergt. F. D. O'Leary, N. N. R., Drs. J. W. Thomson, R. F. Williams, and E. J. Porteous, Medical Officers, Mr. J. D. Littlewood, Foreman of Works, P. W. D., Messrs. H. W. Langworthy and C. C. Yates, 3rd Class Residents.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 19th February :—

Major. W. S. Sharpe, C.M.G., 2nd Class Resident, Major F. Edgar, Asst. Resident.

LAGOS, 20th February :—
Mr. L. A. W. Powell, Foreman of Works, P. W. D.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 11th February (Woermann Line) :—
Mr. R. Sydney Smith, Asst. Resident.

14th February :—
Dr. C. F. Watson, Senior Medical Officer, Lieuts. H. N. Fairbank, H. S. L. Scott, N.N.R.

BURUTU, 15th February :—
Nil.

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No. 4. **EXTRAORDINARY.**

Vol. XIV. THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1913.

Government Notices.

THE following Proclamations, No. 3 of 1913 "The Traders' Licence Repeal Proclamation," and No. 4 of 1913, "The Niger Company Lands Acquisition Proclamation, 1913" also a Regulation under a Proclamation already enacted together with a Notice under "The Unsettled Districts Proclamation," are published by direction of the Governor and shall commence and come into operation on the dates therein mentioned.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.
13th March, 1913.

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NO. 3. 1913. 6

A PROCLAMATION.

Enacted by the Governor of Northern Nigeria.

F. D. LUGARD.

A PROCLAMATION to repeal the Traders' Licence Proclamation.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of Northern Nigeria as follows:—

1. This Proclamation may be cited as the Traders' Licence Repeal Proclamation. Short title.

2. The Traders' Licence Proclamation is hereby repealed. Repeal of No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter 27.

3. This Proclamation shall commence and come into operation on the 7th day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen. Commencement.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Protectorate of NORTHERN NIGERIA this 6th day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

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7 *The Traders' Licence Repeal Proclamation* 1913

THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the Proclamation which has been approved by the Governor and found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Proclamation.

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

NO. 4. 1913. 8

A PROCLAMATION.

Enacted by the Governor of Northern Nigeria.

L. S.

F. D. LUGARD.

A PROCLAMATION to empower the Government to acquire freehold lands from the Niger Company Limited when required for public purposes.

WHEREAS the Company is entitled to certain lands in the Protectorate for an estate of freehold therein:

AND WHEREAS it may from time to time become necessary for the Government of the Protectorate to acquire the said lands or part thereof for public purposes:

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of Northern Nigeria as follows:—

1. This Proclamation may be cited as the Niger Company Lands Acquisition Proclamation, 1913. Short title.

2. It shall be lawful for the Government of the Protectorate to acquire the whole or any part of the freehold lands held by the Niger Company in the Protectorate should such lands or any part thereof be required for a public purpose. Freehold lands of the Company may be acquired for public purposes

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9 *The Niger Company Lands Acquisition Proclamation 1913.*

Notice to be given to Company of intention to acquire.

3. Before entering upon any such lands the Government shall give to the Company at least six months' notice in writing setting forth the purpose for which such lands are required, the limits of the lands so required and the amount of compensation which the Government is prepared to pay in respect thereof. Such compensation shall represent the full improved value of the lands required at the time of the service of the notice.

Disputes as to amount of compensation to be referred to Supreme Court.

4. In the event of any dispute as to the amount of the compensation to be given the matter shall be referred to a Judge of the Supreme Court whose decision shall be final.

Commencement.

5. This Proclamation shall commence and come into operation on the 12th day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Protectorate of NORTHERN NIGERIA this 12th day of March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the Proclamation which has been approved by the Governor and found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Proclamation.

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Unsettled Districts Proclamation.

(NO. 9 OF 1910, SCHEDULE, CHAPTER 68).

The Government Notice under the above Proclamation published in the Extraordinary Gazette No. 12 of 1911 is hereby amended by striking out paragraph (5) and substituting the following paragraph in lieu thereof:—

"(5.) YOLA PROVINCE. (*a.*) South of the River Benue, the Chamba and Mumuye Tribes country.

(*b.*) North of the Benue River, the Piri, Longuda and Kanukuru tribes country, excepting that portion of their country which falls within a 5 miles radius of either bank of the River Gongola, which is an "open" belt, and "settled."

(*c.*) In the North of the Province, the following districts are closed, viz:—

The Yangeru tribe, the Lala, Bura, Hona, Marghi and Kilba tribes, except those villages of the Marghi and Kilba tribes which fall to the East of the main caravan road from Dua Hill to Musa, and South of a line drawn due East from Musa to the Cameroon border.

BAUCHI PROVINCE.

That part of the Province on the extreme South border between Kanam District on the East and Kaleri District on the West occupied by the tribes known as Yergum, Chip, Thal and Pe or Dollong, is unsettled and declared closed.

BASSA PROVINCE.

The Abajikoro, Ankpa, Agatu, Ojoku and Boju Districts, are unsettled and declared closed.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

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AMENDMENT OF REGULATION 8 UNDER
The Minerals Proclamation.

Regulation 8 is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph at the end thereof:—

"The rent to be charged for an Exclusive License to Prospect, renewed for a fourth year under the conditions of the proviso to section 6 enacted under Proclamation No. 2 of 1913, shall be at the rate of £12 10/- per square mile or part thereof."

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

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No. 5. **EXTRAORDINARY.**

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Government Notice.

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor, Sir FREDERICK DEALTRY LUGARD, G.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., and Staff left Lagos, for England, on Thursday the 20th instant.

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VOL. XIV. SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 1913. NO. 5.

Government Notices.

115 **Native Courts.**

WARRANTS establishing Native Courts under the Native Courts Proclamation with the approval of the Governor under the Seal of the Protectorate, have been issued as under:—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of warrant.
Bornu	"C"	Alkalin Court of Mungni	16th Dec. 12
Zaria	"D"	Alkalin Court of Nassari	13th Feb 13
Ilorin	"A"	Judicial Council of Ilorin	28th Feb 13

The Warrant establishing Judicial Council of Mungni "C" Grade (Bornu Province) dated 11th September 1911, is cancelled.

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MAJOR F. G. GUGGISBERG, C.M.G., R.E. has been appointed to act as Surveyor General, Nigeria, with effect from the 7th February, 1913.

6th March, 1913.

117 **Obituary.**

HIS Excellency the Governor deeply regrets to announce the death of Mr. O. H. Thomas, Pensioner, (formerly Assistant Chief Clerk of the Public Works Department), which occurred at sea on the 18th November, 1912.

118

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Authorities will collect Royalties on tin exported via Lagos.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria
15th March, 1913.

119 **JUDICIAL NOTICE.**
In the matter of the Estate of the late T. L. Thorpe, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late T. L. Thorpe, deceased, who died at Lokoja on the 16th day of February 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to the Cantonment Magistrate at Lokoja Provisional Administrator on or before the 15th day of May 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 26th day of February 1913.

C. D. NELSON.
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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120 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Miss M. G. Bathgate	Nurse	Medical	19th Feb. 1913 ...	7th March 1913.
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. Joseph W. Awopetu	Unclassified Clerk	Public Works	28th Nov. 1912 ...	Engaged locally.
Mr. Charles Andrews Clerk ...	4th Grade Clerk	Audit	10th Jan. 1913 ...	13th Jan. 1913.
Mr. Abraham Henry Entsuah ...	do.	Governor's Office ...	22nd Jan. 1913 ...	24th Jan. 1913.

121 **Termination of Appointment.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. W. Awopetu	Unclassified Clerk	Public Works	4th January 1913.	

122 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months.	Days.	Months.	Days.			
Miss C. E. Rennie ...	Nurse, Medical	2 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	5th March 1913	—	Full salary.
Mr. A. S. Kay	Assistant Resident	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	do.	—	do.
Sergt. A. H. Godfrey ...	Sergeant, Medical	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	do.	—	do.
Mr. A. S. Evans	Foreman of Works, P.W.D. ...	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	do.	—	do.
Mr. M. J. D. Beresford ...	3rd Assistant Secretary ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	6th March 1913	do.
Mr. G. S. Browne ...	3rd Class Resident	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. G. L. Monk	Assistant Resident	2 ...	50 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. P. Merron	Keeper of Gaols	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. J. H. Hunt	Telegraph Inspector	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. Stephen Rhodes ...	Foreman of Works, P. W. D. ...	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. F. E. Maltby ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	40 ...	2 ...	— ...	12th March 1913	—	do.
Miss I. J. Evans	Nurse, Medical	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	13th March 1913	do.
Mr. F. G. Pratt	Assistant Engineer, P.W.D. ...	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. James Dooley ...	Chief Foreman, P.W.D.	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. F. M. Sam	3rd Grade Clerk, Medical ...	2 ...	21 ...	— ...	— ...	—	6th Feb. 1913	Full Salary. Accra.
Mr. J. L. Anderson ...	3rd Grade Sorting Clerk & Telegraphist	— ...	42 ...	— ...	— ...	—	13th Feb. 1913	do.
Mr. A. E. Cole	1st Grade Clerk, Political & Administrative	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	27th Feb. 1913	Full Salary. Sierra Leone

123 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Mr. W. E. Slingsby ...	Assistant Resident	2 months ...	4th Feb. 1913	3rd Apl. 1913	Half salary. Ill-health.
Mr. F. H. H. Graves ...	Assistant Accountant, P.W.D. ...	2 weeks	12th Feb. 1913	25th Feb. 1913	Half salary.
NATIVE STAFF					
Mr. A. Ackah	4th Grade Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist	1 month and 1 day ...	21st Dec. 1912	21st Jan. 1913	Without salary.

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124 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Mr. G. R. Matthews	—	Chief Secretary's	28th February 1913.	
Mr. B. Hodges	1st Assistant Secretary	do.	do.	
Mr. C. L. Anderson	Assistant Treasurer	Treasury	1st March 1913.	
Dr. E. J. Porteous	Medical Officer	Medical	7th March 1913.	
Dr. R. F. Williams	do.	do.	do.	
Mr. H. W. Langworthy ...	3rd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Mr. C. C. Yates	do.	do. do. ...	do.	
Mr. J. D. Littlewood	Foreman of Works	Public Works	do.	

125 **Promotions.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. A. C. Jones	Learner	4th Grade Sorting Clerk & Telegraphist...	Post & Telegraphs ...	1st January 1913.
Mr. S. M. Carew ...	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
Mr. J. R. Peters	do.	do.	do. ...	do.

126 **Transfer.**

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Mr. L. L. Woodell ...	Storekeeper, Marine	Nigerian Railway ...	Storekeeper	1st January 1913.

127 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed :—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Mr. I. S. Quao	Timekeeper	Marine	Colloquial Test ...	13th February 1913.

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128 **Monthly Abstract Account of Cash Receipts and**

No.	RECEIPTS.	In the month of October 1912.	From 1st April 1912 to 30th Sept. 1912	Total from 1st April 1912 to 31st Oct.. 1912
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	Balance 1st April 1912	...	166,149 8 9	166,149 8 9
	Balance 1st October 1912 ...	72,832 11 2	...	...
1	Customs	2,624 18 2	18,844 6 11	21,469 5 1
2	Land Revenue	30,684 9 0	111,295 18 4	141,980 7 4
3	Licences and Internal Revenue ...	98 11 3	1,947 14 6	2,046 5 9
4	Fees of Court, Payments for Specific Services and Reimbursements in aid	281 6 5	2,605 1 11	2,886 8 4
5	Post Office and Telegraphs	* 1 0 0	2,469 10 6	2,468 10 6
6	Marine Services	1,615 16 1	6,990 0 5	8,605 16 6
7	Rents of Government Property ..	126 3 3	1,294 14 10	1,420 18 1
8	Mines	2,507 5 0	7,883 3 11	10,390 8 11
9	Miscellaneous Receipts	206 10 4	460 5 4	666 15 8
		38,143 19 6	153,790 16 8	191,934 16 2
10	Contribution from Southern Nigeria ...	17,500 0 0	35,000 0 0	52,500 0 0
	Total Local Revenue	55,643 19 6	188,790 16 8	244,434 16 2
11	Baro-Kano Railway Receipts ...	10,026 13 10	39,779 17 9	49,806 11 7
12	Bauchi Light Railway Receipts ...	2,016 17 9	10,552 19 8	12,569 17 5
	Total Local Revenue including Railway Receipts	67,687 11 1	239,123 14 1	306,811 5 2
13	Imperial Grant-in-aid	30,000 0 0	65,000 0 0	95,000 0 0
	Total Revenue	97,687 11 1	304,123 14 1	401,811 5 2
	Loan Account Southern Nigeria, Baro-Kano Railway Construction	...	37,000 0 0	37,000 0 0
	Loan Account Imperial Government, Bauchi Light Railway Construction	...	6,000 0 0	6,000 0 0
	Total including Loan Accounts ...	97,687 11 1	347,123 14 1	444,811 5 2
	Advances Repaid Baro-Kano Railway...	25,430 2 3	203,458 4 4	228,888 6 7
	Do. Bauchi Light Railway	...	21,737 12 8	21,737 12 8
	Do. Sundry	3,323 3 4	28,979 18 8	32,303 2 0
	Deposits, Sundry	9,452 11 2	86,870 2 5	96,322 13 7
	,, N. Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	26,716 18 9	26,716 18 9
	Drafts and Remittances	74,652 7 5	217,173 7 2	291,825 14 7
	Imprests	170 6 4	1,429 8 8	1,599 15 0
	Revenue Suspense Account	156 0 5	926 9 8	1,082 10 1
	Unallocated Stores Suspense Account P.W.D.	3,205 3 8	7,294 8 8	10,499 12 4
	Total Receipts	214,077 5 8	941,710 5 1	1,155,787 10 9
	Balance due to C.A. (Amt. overpaid) 30/9/12	...	5,162 18 6	...
	Total including balance ...	286,909 16 10	1,113,022 12 4	1,321,936 19 6

* Deduct Revenue refunded

Treasury,
Zungeru, 25th February 1913.

Payments from 1st April 1912 to 31st October 1913.

No.	PAYMENTS.	In the month of October 1912.	From 1st April 1912 to 30th Sept. 1912.	Total from 1st April 1912 to 31st Oct. 1912
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d
1	Pensions and Gratuities	659 14 6	3,650 13 2	4,310 7 8
2	Governor and Staff	234 5 8	1,775 3 1	2,009 8 9
3	Chief Secretary's Department ...	835 4 8	5,683 10 2	6,518 14 10
4	Provincial Administration	8,701 4 11	45,859 1 4	54,560 6 3
5	Treasury Department	591 5 0	3,741 16 2	4,333 1 2
6	Customs ,, ...	421 0 5	2,185 12 7	2,606 13 0
7	Audit ,, ...	392 18 11	1,861 15 6	2,254 14 5
8	Marine ,, ...	1,814 3 3	24,066 1 2	25,880 4 5
9	Legal ,, ...	301 19 8	1,222 9 1	1,524 8 9
10	Police ,, ...	2,440 11 11	14,369 17 3	16,810 9 2
11	Prisons ,, ...	1,019 12 9	5,053 8 2	6,673 0 11
12	Medical ,, ...	2,942 14 3	17,962 2 7	20,904 16 10
13	Sanitation ,, ...	338 3 10	1,090 15 10	1,428 19 8
14	Education ,, ...	199 16 6	946 11 3	1,146 7 9
15	Transport ,, ...	3,634 5 11	16,499 8 6	20,133 14 5
16	Military Expenditure	12,443 3 4	78,018 3 0	90,461 6 4
17	Miscellaneous Services	554 17 11	4,442 4 3	4,997 2 2
18	Posts and Telegraph Department ...	1,799 1 5	12,205 13 4	14,004 14 9
19	Agricultural Department	187 19 0	958 5 6	1,146 4 6
20	Public Works Department	1,169 14 7	5,761 18 6	6,931 13 1
21	Public Works Recurrent	1,768 10 6	5,818 13 10	7,587 4 4
22	Mines Department	322 14 1	1,250 17 0	1,573 11 1
23	Cantonments	89 3 3	474 1 5	563 4 8
24	Land and Survey Department ...	138 8 6	761 1 9	899 10 3
	Total Ordinary & Recurrent Expenditure...	43,000 14 9	256,259 4 5	299,259 19 2
25	Public Works Extraordinary ...	3,209 14 6	9,416 10 4	12,626 4 10
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	Bauchi Light R'way ,, ,, ...	...	21,537 12 8	21,537 12 8
	Total including R'ways ,, ,, ...	83,262 9 0	462,646 7 2	545,908 16 2
	Advances Baro-Kano Railway ...	13,332 0 3	169,202 17 4	182,534 17 7
	,, Bauchi Light Railway ...	...	6,242 0 5	6,242 0 5
	,, Sundry	3,286 17 1	30,184 14 5	33,471 11 6
	Repayment of Deposits, Sundry ...	14,898 14 7	90,170 12 4	105,069 6 11
	Repayment of Deposits Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	6,916 18 9	6,916 18 9
	Drafts and Remittances	77,987 7 9	236,942 2 3	314,929 10 0
	Imprests	345 0 0	1,704 0 8	2,049 0 8
	Revenue Suspense Account... ...	174 9 10	351 9 0	525 18 10
	Unallocated Stores Suspense Acct. P.W.D.	3,123 19 10	14,828 18 10	17,952 18 8
	Investments, Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	20,000 0 0	20,000 0 0
	Investments, Public Officers' Guarantee Fund	..	1,000 0 0	1,000 0 0
	Total Payments ...	196,410 18 4	1,040,190 1 2	1,236,600 19 6
	Balance due to C.A. (Amt. overpaid) 30/9/12.	5,162 18 6	...	...
	Balance 30th September 1912	...	72,832 11 2	...
	Balance 31st October 1912	85,336 0 0	...	85,336 0 0
	Total including Balance ..	286,909 16 10	1,113,022 12 4	1,321,936 19 6

J. H. BRATT,
Treasurer.

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129 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the period ending 11th January 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING. Public.	COACHING. Govt.	GOODS. Public.	GOODS. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For 11 days ending 11th Jan 1913...	3,048	481	11,099	1,936	31	71	16,666
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,999	340	8,229	1,810	41	23	13,442
Increase ...	49	141	2,870	126	..	48	3,224
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	10	...	..
Total for Current year to date ...	3,048	481	11,099	1,936	31	71	16,666
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,999	340	8,229	1,810	41	23	13,442
Increase ...	49	141	2,870	126	...	48	3,224
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...

Mileage Open 912
Mean Mileage Worked 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £18·27.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

PARTICULARS.	Idda-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba-North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	2,505	200	717	107	3,529
Goods	9,314	85	2,364	1,272	13,035
Telegraph	22	...	5	4	31
Sundries	21	7	33	...	71
Total for 11 days	11,862	292	3,129	1,383	16,666
Total for current year	11,862	292	3,129	1,383	16,666
Corresponding period of 1912	10,795	238	2,409	...	13,442
Increase	1,067	54	720	1,383	3,224
Decrease	...	...	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.	
	£	£	£	£	£		£
Total for 11 days ...	68	1,576	274	18	1,936	For the period	101
Total for current year ...	68	1,576	274	18	1,936	Total for current year	101
Corresponding period of 1912	491	1,147	...	172	1,810	Corresponding period of 1912	139
Increese ...	...	429	274	...	126	Increase ...	
Decrease ...	423	...	...	154	...	Decrease	38

NOTE.—As the returns are made up to each Saturday night a period of 11 days has been taken as from 1st January and hereafter the return will be made for each week.

Ebute Metta, 31st January 1913. A. G. HUBBARD, *Actg. Chief Accountant.* A. S. COOPER, *General Manager.*

130 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 18th January 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING. Public.	COACHING. Govt.	GOODS. Public.	GOODS. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 18th Jan. 1913 ...	2,057	341	10,867	1,338	18	25	14,646
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,733	150	4,815	1,036	21	8	7,763
Increase ...	324	191	6,052	302	...	17	6,883
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...
Total for Current year to date ...	5,105	822	21,966	3,274	49	96	31,312
Correfponding period of 1912 ...	4,731	490	13,044	2,846	62	31	21,204
Increase ...	374	332	8,922	428	...	65	10,108
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipt per mean mile £16·06

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Idda-Jebba South 306 miles	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,738	133	445	82	2,398
Goods	6,721	62	3,216	2,206	12,205
Telegraph	13	1	2	2	18
Sundries	3	6	15	1	25
Total for Week	8,475	202	3,678	2,291	14,646
Total for current year	20,337	494	6,807	3,674	31,312
Corresponding period of 1912	16,667	321	4,216	...	21,204
Increase	3,670	173	2,591	3,674	10,108
Decrease	...	...	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.	
	£	£	£	£	£		£
Total for the Week ...	396	925	6	11	1,338	For the Week	65
Total for current year ...	464	2,501	280	29	3,274	Total for current year ..	166
Corresponding period of 1912	597	1,777	55	417	2,846	Corresponding period of 1912...	193
Increase ...	...	724	225	...	428	Increase ...	—
Decrease ...	133	...	...	388	...	Decrease ..	27

Ebute Metta, 7th February 1913 A. G. HUBBARD, *Acting Chief Accountant.* A. S. COOPER, *General Manager.*

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131 **Monthly Meteorological Return.**

PLACE OF OBSERVATION	TEMPERATURE. Highest in the Shade.	Lowest in the Shade.	Mean.	Greatest Diurnal Variation.	Mean relative Humidity 9a.m.	RAINFALL. Total.	Maximum on one day.	Daily average.	No. of days on which rain fell.	Prevailing Wind.	OBSERVER
JANUARY.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.			
Zungeru - -	100	56	80·9	44	42	—	—	—	—	E.	Dr. Hall
Kontagora - -	101	56	79·9	44	23	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. McCay.
Lokoja- - -	97	60	80·45	36	61	—	—	—	—	S.E.	Dr. Adams.
Kano - - -	94	49	70·3	42	32	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. McGahey.
Bauchi- - -	92	—	—	—	32	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Percival.
Ilorin - - -	98	54	79	39	64	—	—	—	—	S.W.	Dr. Twomey.
Geidam - -	98	49	71·2	45	35	—	—	—	—	E.N.E.	Dr. Cobb.
Maiduguri - -	97	51	71·7	46	39	—	—	—	—	E.N.E.	Dr. McLeay.
Zaria - - -	95	46	69·3	48	32	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Taylor.
Katagum - -	98	47	71·8	50	40	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Chesnaye.
Sokoto- - -	92	58	74·3	31	26	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Inness.
Nafada- - -	98	45	70·6	50	30	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Jeffreys.
Naraguta - -	87	46	68·6	38	32	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Crichton.
Baro - - -	99	64	82·3	33	49	—	—	—	—	S.W.	Dr. Willan.
Ibi - - -	100	52	79·4	45	35	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Trumper.
Ankpa- - -	97	64	80·7	29	56	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Parsons.
Kaduna - -	93	51	72·87	41	—	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Manuk.
Offa - - -	101	64	85·2	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	Dr. Maclaine.
Jebba - - -	96	67	82·4	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	Dr. Sandeman.

15th March, 1913.

W. GORDON HALL
Acting P. M. O.

SUPPLEMENT TO
The Official Gazette.
No. 5 OF 1913.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 9.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 4TH MARCH, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 26th February:—

Dr. Sogan, Medical Officer, Mr. A. H. Mottram, Assistant Inspector of Mines, Lieuts. G. Heygate, A. St. J. M. Warrand and Sergeant H. G. Glogg, N.N.R., Mr. E. J. Arnett, 2nd Class Resident, Mr. G. N. Vertue, 3rd Class Resident, Dr. F. Manning, Deputy P.M.O., Mr. A. E. Dawson, Telegraph Inspector, Mr. A. L. Auchinleck, Assistant Resident.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 26th February:—

Nil.

LAGOS, 26th February (Woermann Line.)—

Lieut. H. N. Vinen and Sergeant W. E. King, N.N.R.

LAGOS, 27th February:—

Capt. F. A. E. Godwin, Commissioner of Police, Dr. F. W. McCay, Medical Officer.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 21st February:—

Nil.

BURUTU, 22nd February:—

Nil.

POSTINGS:—Arnett Sokoto, Auchinleck Muri, Vertue Zaria.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 10.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 10TH MARCH, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 5th March:—

Dr. J. A. Beattie, Medical Officer, Lieuts. T. R. McLellan, H. D. S. O'Brien and Sergeant T. Moran, N.N.R., Mr. J. W. Gill, 3rd Class Resident, Mr. A. Campbell-Irons, Assistant Resident, Mr. C. Townsend, Telegraph Inspector.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 5th March:—

Miss C. E. Rennie and Sergeant A. H. Godfrey, Medical, Mr. A. S. Kay, Assistant Resident, Mr. A. S. Evans, Foreman of Works, P.W.D.

LAGOS, 6th March:—

Lieuts. W. T. M. Bate and C. Luxford, N.N.R., Mr. M. J. D. Beresford, 3rd Assistant Secretary, Mr. G. L. Monk, Asst. Resident, Mr. G. S. Browne, 3rd Class Resident, Mr. P. Merron, Keeper of Gaols, Mr. J. H. Hunt, Telegraph Inspector, Mr. S. Rhodes, Foreman of Works, P.W.D.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 28th February:—

Sapper M. S. Short, Tinfields Survey, Mr. G. R. Matthews, Mr. B. Hodges, 1st Assistant Secretary, Lieut. H. H. Hebden, Armourer Sergt. A. Cole, Sergeants J. Waterson and J. P. Loughran, N.N.R.

BURUTU, 1st March:—

Mr. C. L. Anderson, Assistant Treasurer, Sergeant J. E. Crawley, Sergeant, Medical.

POSTINGS:—Gill Kano, Campbell-Irons Bornu.

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AMENDMENT OF REGULATION 8 UNDER
The Minerals Proclamation.

Regulation 8 is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph at the end thereof:—

"The rent to be charged for an Exclusive License to Prospect, renewed for a fourth year under the conditions of the proviso to section 6 enacted under Proclamation No. 2 of 1913, shall be at the rate of £12 10/- per square mile or part thereof."

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

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No. 5. **EXTRAORDINARY.**

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Government Notice.

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor, Sir FREDERICK DEALTRY LUGARD, G.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., and Staff left Lagos, for England, on Thursday the 20th instant.

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Commission.

L. S.

By His Excellency Sir Frederick John Dealtry Lugard, G.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria, &c. &c.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME GREETINGS:—

WHEREAS BY AN ORDER-IN-COUNCIL dated the 27th day of December 1899, and passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, provision was made for the administration of the Government of the territories of West Africa known as Northern Nigeria, and by further Orders-in-Council dated 19th day of March 1908, and the 11th day of October, 1912, passsed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, making fresh provision for the administration of the Government of the said territories in the absence of the Governor and Commander-in Chief, it is provided that, whenever the Governor is absent from the Seat of Government or is absent in the Protectorates of Southern or Northern Nigeria or is on a passage between any place in the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria or is absent from the Protectorates otherwise than on any such passage as aforesaid, he may by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Protectorate appoint any person or persons to be his Deputy or Deputies within any part or parts of the Protectorates during such absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such absence, all such powers and authorities by such Orders-in-Council or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited.

AND WHEREAS I intend to be absent from the Protectorate.

AND WHEREAS I am desirous of exercising the above recited power in connexion with such absence.

KNOW YE THEREFORE THAT I, FREDERICK JOHN DEALTRY LUGARD, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Most Distinguished Service Order,

Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria, do hereby appoint CHARLES LINDSAY TEMPLE, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George pending such absence as aforesaid to be my Deputy within the Protectorate; during my pleasure, and in that capacity during my pleasure to do and execute all such things belonging to the Office of the Governor, as are commonly done or executed by the Governor, subject always to the provisions of the said Orders-in-Council and to the instructions addressed by me to the said CHARLES LINDSAY TEMPLE for his guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the PROTECTORATE OF NORTHERN NIGERIA, at Government House, Lagos, this 19th day of March in the year of our Lord, One thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

By Command,

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

THE following Proclamations No. 5 of 1913, "The West African Frontier Force (Northern Nigeria Regiment) Proclamation, 1913," and No. 6 of 1913, "The Pensions Amendment Proclamation, 1913," are published by direction of the Governor and shall commence and come into operation on the dates therein mentioned.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
21st March, 1913.

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10 NO. 5. 1913.

A PROCLAMATION.

Enacted by the Governor of Northern Nigeria.

L.S.

F. D. LUGARD.

A PROCLAMATION to amend the West African Frontier Force (Northern Nigeria Regiment) Proclamation.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of Northern Nigeria as follows :—

Short title and construction.

1. This Proclamation may be cited as the West African Frontier Force (Northern Nigeria Regiment) Proclamation, 1913, and shall be read and construed as one with the West African Frontier Force (Northern Nigeria Regiment) Proclamation which is hereinafter referred to as the principal Proclamation.

Amendment of No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter 18, Section 15.

2. Section 15 of the principal Proclamation is hereby amended by striking out the 3rd paragraph thereof as amended by Proclamation No. 12 of 1911 and substituting the following words :—

"Any Non-Commissioned Officer or Private of good character who has completed twelve years, service may with the approval of his Commanding Officer re-engage to serve for a further period of six years or less from the expiration of his second period."

Commencement.

3. This Proclamation shall commence and come into operation on the twentieth day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Protectorate of NORTHERN NIGERIA this 20th day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

———:o:———

THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the Proclamation which has been approved by the Governor and found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Proclamation.

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

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12 NO. 6. 1913.

A PROCLAMATION.

Enacted by the Governor of Northern Nigeria.

L.S. F. D. LUGARD.

A PROCLAMATION to amend the Pensions Proclamation.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of Northern Nigeria as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Proclamation may be cited as the Pensions Amendment Proclamation, 1913, and shall be read and construed as one with the Pensions Proclamation which is hereinafter referred to as the principal Proclamation.

Amendment of 9 of 1910, Schedule Chapter 44 Section 5.

2. Section 5 of the principal Proclamation is hereby amended by deleting the words "include all officers who were not themselves born in West Africa and neither of whose parents was born there" and substituting therefor "mean any officer both of whose parents were of European descent but includes any other officer appointed under the conditions of service ordinarily applicable to Europeans."

The Pensions Amendment Proclamation, 1913. 13

Amendment of Regulation 1 of the Schedule.

3. Regulation 1 contained in the Schedule to the principal Proclamation is hereby amended by deleting the following words "The term "European officer" includes any officer who was not himself born in West Africa and neither of whose parents was born there" and substituting the following in lieu thereof:—

"The term "European officer" means any officer both of whose parents were of European descent but includes also any officer appointed under the conditions of service ordinarily applicable to Europeans.

The decision of the Governor shall be final on the question whether an officer is to be regarded as a European officer under these regulations."

Commencement.

4. This Proclamation shall commence and come into operation on the twentieth day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Given under my hand and Seal of the Protectorate of NORTHERN NIGERIA this 20th day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

———:o:———

THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the Proclamation which has been approved by the Governor and found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Proclamation.

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

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Government Notices.

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THE following Extract from the Secretary of State's Circular despatch of the 10th February, 1913, is published for the information of all concerned.

"Officers of the Special Reserve of Officers, "Territorial Force, and Territorial Force "Reserve may retain their Commissions while "holding in a Colony or Protectorate military "or probationary or temporary civil appoint- "ments, and while holding such appointments "they will not be liable to be recalled for "military training or military duty.

"Officers of the General Reserve of Officers "may retain their commissions whilst in "permanent, probationary, or temporary "employment in a Colony or Protectorate, "whether civil or military, and will not be "liable to recall to military duty or training "of any description while so employed."

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Boundaries of Kano Township.

STARTING from the beacon on "Stop Butt Rock" marking the North end of the Government Triangulation base the boundary runs North for a distance of 3,850 ft. thence on a bearing of 259° for a distance of 11,950 ft. to a boundary post on the Kano-Panisau road, which post is at a distance of 6,100 ft. from the Kofan Wombai; thence on a bearing of 181° for a distance of 7,850 ft. and marked by a boundary post: thence on a bearing of 108° to the South end of the Triangulation Base; thence on a bearing of 92° for a distance of 3,100 ft. to a point marked by a boundary post on the Nassarawa to Government offices road; thence on a bearing of 49° for a distance of 8,350 ft. to a point on the Kano-Katagum road marked by a boundary post; thence on a bearing of 320° to the starting point. Said boundaries enclosing an area of 2,619 acres or thereabouts."

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WARRANTS establishing **Native Courts** under the **Native Courts Proclamation** with the approval of the **Governor, under the** Seal of the Protectorate, **have been issued as** under:—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of warrant.
Zaria	"D"	Alkali's Court of Kaduna.	1st Feb. 1913.
	"	Alkali's Court of Rigachikun.	"
Kontagora	"C"	Alkali's Court of Kaiama.	27th Feb. 1913.

The Warrant establishing **Alkali's Court of** Rigachikun "D" Grade (Zaria Province) dated 1st June 1910 is cancelled.

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135 Errata.

Notice No. 663 Gazette No. 21 of 1912 the designation of appointment of Mr. H. H. Annetts, is Junior Superintendent, Education Department and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 719 of Gazette No. 23 of 1912, the initials of Mr. Payne, Licensed Surveyor should read "N. R." and not as stated therein.

136 Railway Notice.

THE following traffic Circular is published for general information :—

The question of accommodation on the Boat Train is becoming more difficult and certain restrictions must now be observed.

Railway Officials (1st. Class.) 2. The train is run primarily for the use of the Public, who must always be given preference over Railway Officers who may have received permission to travel first, or second class.

Native Clerks travelling by Boat Train. 3. Railway clerks should be given vouchers, entitling them to travel, by this train only under exceptional circumstances; they must travel third class, and any such voucher issued should be sent to the Traffic Superintendent's Office in order that accommodation may, if possible, be arranged.

Letter Boxes Mails and Package. 4. Mails will be accepted on the Boat Train for stations up to and including Jebba only; Parcels, Correspondence Boxes, etc., must be sent by the ordinary trains.

By Order,

W. S. HEWITT,
Acting Traffic Superintendent.

Traffic Superintendent's Office,
Ebute Metta.
11th February, 1913.

It is requested that officials will not travel to intermediate stations by the Boat Train except on emergency.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
31st March, 1913.

137 Treasury Notice.

OFFICERS at outstations desirous of having their salaries paid into the Bank at Zungeru or Lokoja should, after furnishing the Treasurer with an authority [1] to that effect, prepare their pay-sheets and forward them to the Treasury at the end of every month. Each pay-sheet should bear a certificate, signed on the last day of the month by the Resident or Officer Commanding Troops at the station, as follows :—

"I certify that..... .....is alive this day."

(*Sgd.*).....

Date.....

Treasury Order, No. 67, Amendment, published in Gazette of 30th April 1907, is hereby cancelled.

J. H. BRATT,
Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Zungeru,
14th March, 1913.

[1] Printed forms may be obtained on application at the Treasury.

138 JUDICIAL NOTICES

In the matter of the Estate of the late E. E. York, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late E. E. York deceased, who died at Lokoja on the 11th day of January 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to the Cantonment Magistrate at Lokoja Provisional Administrator on or before the 31st day of May 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 6th day of March, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,

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In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. Mensah, (Carpenter) Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Mensah, (Carpenter) deceased, who died at Zaria on the 30th day of January 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Assistant Resident C. J. Chaytor the Provisional Administrator at Zaria on or before the 31st day of May 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 6th day of March, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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In the matter of the Estate of the late J. A. Bright, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late J. A. Bright deceased, who died at Rahama in the Zaria Province on the 8th day of February 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Assistant Resident W. H. Sykes, the Provisional Administrator at Zaria on or before the 31st day of May, 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 5th day of March, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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In the matter of the Estate of the late S. J. Wilson, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late S. J. Wilson deceased, who died at Lokoja on the 3rd day of January 1913 intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to the Cantonment Magistrate at Lokoja Provisional Administrator on or before the 31st day of May 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 6th day of March 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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In the matter of the Estate of the late Thomas O. Ludlow, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Thomas O. Ludlow deceased, who died at Lokoja on the 18th day of January 1913 intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to the Cantonment Magistrate at Lokoja Provisional Administrator on or before the 31st day of May 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 6th day of March, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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143 **NATIVE COURTS.**

THE following is a list of Native Court Warrants establishing Native Courts under Chapter LVI. (Proclamation No. 1 of 1906) Laws of Northern Nigeria, with the approval of the Governor under the seal of the Protectorate up to 31st December 1912.

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.
1. **Sokoto**	A	Sokoto (Judicial Council)
	"	Gando " "
	"	Argungu " "
	"	Birnin Kebbi " "
	"	Sokoto (Alkali's Court)
	"	Birnin Kebbi " "
	B	Tambawel " "
	"	Dogondaji " "
	"	Gumi " "
	"	Bukwium " "
	"	Bakura " "
	"	Maradu " "
	"	Zamfara " "
	"	Isa " "
	"	Bazai " "
	"	Raha " "
	"	Kalgo " "
	"	Dakingari " "
	"	Anka " "
	"	Raba " "
	"	Wurno " "
	"	Yabo " "
	"	Bodinga " "
	"	Godabawa " "
	"	Kebbi " "
	"	Besse " "
	"	Zogirma " "
	"	Bunza " "
	"	Giru " "
	"	Bahindi " "
	"	Zagga " "
	"	Sabon Birni " "
	"	Aliero " "
	"	Badarawa " "
	"	Bungudu " "
	"	Kwarre " "
	"	Saiyinna Daji " "
	"	Goronyo " "
	"	Salame " "
	"	Jega " "
	"	Argungu " "
	"	Kwoterokoshi " "
	"	Zurmi " "
	"	Gusau " "
	"	Tsafe " "
	"	Illo (Judicial Council)
	"	Gando Town and District (Alkali's Court)
	"	Kwiambanna " "
	"	Kaoje " "
	"	Zuguleba " "
	"	Sifawa " "
	"	Kilgori " "
	"	Denge " "
	"	Talata Mafari " "
	"	Gandi " "
	"	Tureta " "
	"	Jabo " "
	"	Moriki " "
	"	Maru " "
	C	Fanna (Argungu Division) " "
	D	Binji " "
		Kasua of Sokoto " "

NATIVE COURTS (Continued).

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.
2. **Kano.**	A	Kano (Judicial Council)
	"	Katsena " "
	"	Katagum " "
	"	Daura " "
	"	Hadeija " "
	"	Kano (Alkali's Court)
	"	Hadeija " "
	"	Katagum " "
	"	Katsena " "
	"	Daura " "
	B	Messau " "
	"	Gummel " "
	"	Ingawa " "
	"	Kankia " "
	"	Mani " "
	"	Shira " "
	"	Guaram-in-**Kano** " "
	"	Marshi " "
	"	Mallam **Fashi** " "
	"	Kazauri " "
	"	Kusarda " "
	"	Karofi " "
	"	Musawa " "
	"	Karaye " "
	"	Damberta " "
	"	Dawaiki " "
	"	Debbi " "
	"	Wodil " "
	"	Duchi " "
	"	Rano " "
	"	Gaiya " "
	"	Kura " "
	"	Jafun " "
	"	Fogolawa " "
	"	Ruma " "
	"	Messau (Judicial Council)
	"	Jamaari " "
	"	Dambam " "
	"	Kazaure " "
	"	Fawa (Alkali's Court)
	"	Yamel " "
	"	Cheronchi " "
	C	Jamaari " "
	"	Riruwei " "
	"	Muska " "
	"	Ududo " "
	"	Hardawa " "
	"	Gadan " "
	"	Chinade " "
	"	Azare " "
	"	Sokwa-in-**Katagum** " "
	"	Kaffin **Hausa** " "
	"	Birniwa " "
	"	Adiani " "
	"	Auyo " "
	"	Gogama " "
	C	Kano (**Alkali Aminu**) " "
	D	Gezawa **Market** " "
	"	Fogolawa " " "
	"	Kunya " " "
	"	Gobasawa " " "
	"	Kabbo " " "
	"	Dumbulum " " "
	"	Rogo " " "
	"	Kura " " "
	"	Dal " " "
	"	Babara " " "

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NATIVE COURTS (Continued).

Province.	Grade	Name of Court.
Kano (Contd.)	D	Bonkwie **Market** (Alkali's Court)
	"	Mindawari (Kano) " " "
	"	Kurmi **Kano** " " "
	"	Somaila " " "
	"	Gerko " " "
	"	Karaye " " "
	"	Yankatsari " " "
	"	Mashi (**Katsena**) mkt. " "
	"	Kankia (**Katsena**) " " "
	"	Mani (**Katsena**) " " "
	"	Katsena " " "
	"	Kaita (Katsena) " "
	"	Babeji Market " "
	"	Musawa " " "
	"	Maska " " "
	"	Karofi " " "
	"	Dutsi " " "
	"	Ingawa " " "
	"	Kwan **Yawa** " " "
	"	Danberta " " "
	"	Dallaji " " "
	"	Dan Ja " " "
	"	Kusada " " "
	"	Mallamfashi " " "
3. Bornu	A	Shehuri (Judicial Council)
	B	Gujiba (Alkali's Court)
	"	Geidam " "
	C	Magumeri (Judicial Council,
	"	Beddi " "
	"	Mobber " "
	"	Fika " "
	"	Nguru " "
	"	Mungni (Alkali's Court,
	"	Marghi (Alkali's Court)
	"	Mongonu " "
	"	Konduga " "
	D	Biu " "
4. Central (Bauchi)	A	Bauchi (Alkali's Court)
	"	Gombe " "
	C	Keffin Madaki " "
	"	Darazo " "
	"	Dukul " "
	"	Kirifi " "
	"	Fali " "
	"	Bula " "
	"	Nafada " "
	"	Tongo " "
	"	Ako " "
	"	Lemme " "
	"	Toro " "
	"	Naraguta " "
	D	Fusa " "
	"	Polche " "
	"	Wonu " "
	"	Lokwondu " "
	"	Jarawa " "
	"	Leri " "
	"	Rauta " "
	"	Zungur " "

NATIVE COURTS (Continued)

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.
4. Central (Bauchi Contd.)	D	Dugur (Judicial Council)
	"	Kanam " "
	"	Ningi " "
	"	Ari " "
	"	Burra " "
	"	Warji " "
	"	Deo (Alkali's Court)
	"	Mbarra " "
	"	Bukuru " "
	"	Top " "
	"	Gurum " "
5. Zaria.	A	Zaria (Judicial Council)
	"	Zaria (Alkali's Court)
	C	Zangon **Katab** " "
	"	Lere " "
	D	Kachia " "
	"	Fatika " "
	"	Riga **Chikum** " "
	"	**Auchang** " "
	"	Soba " "
	"	Zaria (**Sabon Gari**) " "
6. Kontagora.	B	Kontagora (Judicial Council)
	"	Kaiama " "
	"	Boussa " "
	"	Sakaba " "
	"	Yelwa (Alkali's Court)
	C	Kontagora " "
	"	Kotonkoro " "
	"	Rijau (Judicial Council)
	"	Yelwa " "
	D	Sakaba (Alkali's Court)
	"	Boussa " "
	"	Zuguma " "
	"	Ilesha " "
	"	Salika (Judicial Council,
	"	Lejau (Alkali's Court)
	"	Auna " "
	"	N'Ghaski (Alkali's Court)
	"	Bobi " "
	"	Bena " "
	"	Kunji (Judicial Council)
	"	Yelwa " "
	"	N'Ghaski " "
	"	Tillo " "
7. Niger.	A	Bida (Judicial Council)
	"	Bida (Alkali's Court)
	B	Mureji (Judicial Council)
	"	Lapai (Emir's Court)
	"	Agaie (Judicial Council)
	"	Kagara " "
	"	Lapai (Alkali's Court)
	"	Agaie " "
	"	Minna " "
	"	Galadima Kogo (Judicial Council,
	C	Wushishi (Alkali's Court)
	"	Gidi " "
	"	Katcha (Judicial Council
	"	Elegi " "

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NATIVE COURTS (Continued).

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	
7. Niger (Contd.)	C	Bungba	(Judicial Council)
	"	Jima	" "
	"	Wuya	" "
	"	Badegi	" "
	"	Gabi	" "
	"	Ewugi	" "
	"	Wachi	" "
	"	Gulu	" "
	"	Paiko	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Kuso Yabba	(Judicial Council)
	"	Ebbo	" "
	"	Sakka	" "
	"	Edzu	" "
	"	Zago	" "
	"	Esagi	" "
	"	Etsu Gaie	" "
	"	Sakpi	" "
	"	Egbako	" "
	"	Kuturiko	" "
	"	Kintako	" "
	"	Mokwa	" "
	"	Kudu	" "
	"	Birnin Gwari	" "
	"	Tuna	" "
	"	Kuta	" "
	D	Jebba	" "
	"	Guni	" "
	"	Fuka	" "
	"	Paiko (Gwari)	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Koriga	" "
8. Nassarawa	B	Nassarawa	(Judicial Council)
	"	Keffi	" "
	"	Koton Kerifi	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Lafia	(Judicial Council)
	"	Jemaa-n-Darroro	" "
	"	Jemaa-n-Darroro	(Alkali's Court)
	C	Loko	(Judicial Council)
	"	Lafia	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Abuja	(Judicial Council)
	"	Keana	" "
	"	Doma	" "
	"	Umaisha	(Alkali's Court)
	D	Kagerko	" "
	"	Abuja	" "
	"	Keffi	" "
9. Muri	B	Muri	(Judicial Council)
	C	Ibi	" "
	"	Wukari	" "
	"	Wurrio	" "
	"	Muri	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Lau	" "
	"	Wase	" "
	"	Jalingo	" "
	"	Mutum Biu	" "
	"	Donga	" "
	"	Bantaji	" "
	"	Takum	" "
	D	Tshendam	(Judicial Council)
	"	Awe	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Gassol	" "
	"	Katsena Allah	(Judicial Council)
	"	Abinsi	" "
	"	Bakundi	(Alkali's Court)

NATIVE COURTS. (Continued)

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	
10. Yola	A	Yola	(Alkali's Court)
	B	Giri	" "
	C	Song	" "
	"	Mao Faran	" "
	"	Ribado	" "
	"	Jimeta	" "
	"	Kilba	(Judicial Council)
	"	Uba	" "
	"	Shillem	" "
	"	Song	" "
	"	Goila	" "
	"	Fombina Mayo	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Numan	" "
11. Kabba	C	Iddo	(Judicial Council)
	"	Okeni	" "
	"	Aworo	" "
	D	Kabba	" "
12. Bassa	B	Ojoku	(Judicial Council)
	"	Idoma	" "
	"	Gbebe	" "
	"	Ankpa	" "
	"	Ogumi	" "
	C	Dekina	" "
	"	Agatu	" "
	"	Ofangwa	" "
	D	Onifi	" "
13. Ilorin	A	Ilorin	(Alikali's Court)
	B	Pateji	(Judicial Council)
	"	Offa	" "
	"	Shonga	" "
	"	Awtun	" "
	"	Omu	" "
	"	Ajassepo	" "
	"	Lafiagi	" "
	C	Isanlu	(Judicial Council)
	"	Igbadga	" "
	"	Oke Awra	" "
	"	Osi	" "
	"	Share	" "
	"	Lade	" "
	"	Padda	" "
	"	Oke Ode	" "
	"	Ajidungari	" "
	"	Afon	" "
	"	Lanwa	" "
	"	Malete and Districts	" "
	"	Oke Moru	" "
	D	Egbe	" "

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144 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. Edward Fynn Acquah ...	Draughtsman	Public Works	2nd Jan. 1913 ...	Engaged locally.
Mr. M. C. Quaye	2nd Class Clerk	do.	5th Jan. 1913 ...	do.
Mr. Josiah Timothy Campbell ...	Senior Warder	Prisons	1st Feb. 1913 ...	do.
Mr. John Adeniji Melville Jones * ...	2nd Class Clerk	Political & Administrative ...	12th Feb. 1913 ...	12th Feb. 1913.
John	Cook	Medical	6th Mar. 1913 ...	Engaged locally.

* Transferred from Southern Nigeria Government.

145 **Confirmation of Appointment.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Mr. Paul A. Anderson	Assistant Engineer	Public Works	20th October 1909	

146 **Promotion.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. W. P. Baffoe	4th Grade Clerk	3rd Grade Clerk	Political & Administrative	1st April 1912.

147 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the date mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months.	Vacation. Days.	Return. Months.	Return. Days.	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. C. C. Nylander ...	Asst. Chief Clerk, Pol. & Administrative	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	26th Feb. 1913	—	Full salary. Sierra Leone

148 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Mr. A. E. Dawson ...	Telegraph Inspector, (1st Grade)	1 month & 12 days ...	14th Jan. 1913 ...	25th Feb. 1913 ...	Half salary.
Mr. C. C. Yates	3rd Class Resident	3 weeks	29th Jan. 1913 ...	18th Feb. 1913 ...	Without salary. Urgent private affairs.
Mr. W. C. C. Dunlop ...	Assistant Resident	18 days	1st Mar. 1913 ...	18th Mar. 1913...	Half salary. To complete the Tropical African Services Course.
NATIVE STAFF					
Mr. J. A. Ephraim ...	Asst. Chief Clerk, Audit ...	1 month	14th Mar. 1913 ...	13th Apl. 1913 ...	Half salary. Ill health.

149 **Resignations.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. J. Asmah	4th Grade Clerk	Marine	19th November 1912 ...	
Mr. Francis Addo	Cook	Medical	5th March 1913 ...	

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Transfer.

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF Mr. J. A. O. Peters ...	2nd Class Clerk, Political and Administrative	Chief Secretary's	1st March 1913.

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Permanent Staff.

The undermentioned Native Officials, having completed three years service have been placed on the Permanent Staff ofthe Protectorate from the dates stated against their names:—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. G. A. Solomon ...	1st Class Clerk ...	Political and Administrative	9th October 1909.	
Mr. H. E. Solomon ...	2nd Class Clerk ...	do.	30th December 1909.	
Mr. J. B. Affainie ...	2nd Class Clerk ...	do.	1st November 1903.	
Mr. A. M. F. Abban ...	do. ...	do.	19th July 1908.	

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Hausa Examination.

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
NATIVE STAFF. Mr. D. E. Nicol ...	2nd Class Clerk ...	Chief Secretary's ...	Colloquial Test ...	22nd February 1913.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the period ending 25th January 1913.

Period	Coaching. Public.	Coaching. Govt.	Goods. Public.	Goods. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 25th Jan. 1913 ...	2,153	367	7,854	1,812	18	8	12,212
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,569	200	5,141	982	19	1	7,912
Increase ...	584	167	2,713	830	—	7	4,300
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	7,258	1,189	23,820	5,086	67	104	43,524
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	6,299	691	18,184	3,828	81	33	29,116
Increase ...	959	498	11,636	1,258	—	71	14,408
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	14	—	—

Mileage Open 912
Mean Mileage Worked 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £13·39.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Ilido-Jebba South 356 miles.	Jebba-North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria-Kahama 89 miles.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,833	195	429	63	2,520
Goods	5,697	82	1,700	21,87	9,666
Telegraph	13	—	3	2	18
Sundries	1	6	1	—	8
Total for week	7,544	283	2,133	2,252	12,212
Total for current year	27,882	777	8,939	5,926	43,524
Corresponding period of 1912	22,659	434	6,023	—	29,116
Increase	5,223	343	2,916	5,926	14,468
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the week ...	485	927	397	3	1,812
Total for current year ...	950	3,427	677	32	5,086
Corresponding period of 1912	680	2,433	108	607	3,828
Increase ...	270	994	569	—	1,258
Decrease ...	—	—	—	575	—

Tramway.	£
For the Week	54
Total for current year	220
Corresponding period of 1912	242
Increase	—
Decrease	22

Ebute Metta,
13th February, 1913.

F. H. Derriman,
Actg. Chief Accountant.

A. S. Cooper,
General Manager.

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154 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 1st February 1913.

Period.	Coaching. Public.	Coaching. Govt.	Goods. Public.	Goods. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 1st Feb. 1913 ...	1,969	212	8,707	1,223	17	19	12,147
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,389	162	4,266	1,036	18	7	6,878
Increase ...	580	50	4,441	187	—	12	5,269
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	9,227	1,401	38,527	6,309	84	123	55,671
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	7,688	853	22,450	4,864	99	40	35,994
Increase ...	1,539	548	16,077	1,445	—	83	19,677
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	15	—	—

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipt per mean mile £13·32

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Ibdo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,464	94	536	87	2,181
Goods	5,613	119	2,583	1,615	9,930
Telegraph	12	—	3	2	17
Sundries	3	1	14	1	19
Total for Week	7,092	214	3,136	1,705	12,147
Total for current year	34,974	991	12,075	7,631	55,671
Corresponding period of 1912	28,225	538	7,231	—	35,994
Increase	6,749	453	4,844	7,631	19,677
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	Current.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	Total.	Tramway.	
	£	£	£	£	£		£
Total for the Week ...	185	926	112	—	1,223	For the Week	54
Total for current year ...	1,135	4,353	789	32	6,309	Total for current year ..	274
Corresponding period of 1912	748	3,110	208	798	4,864	Corresponding period of 1912...	296
Increase ...	387	1,243	581	—	1 445	Increase ...	—
Decrease ...	—	—	—	766	—	Decrease ..	22

Ebute Metta,
21st February 1913

F. H. Derriman,
Acting Chief Accountant.

A. S. Cooper,
General Manager

155 **CUSTOMS NOTICE.**

Notice is Hereby Given that a sale of the following unclaimed goods lying in the King's Warehouse, Calabar will be held at the Customs House, on Saturday the 5th day of April 1913, at 8 o'clock a.m. precisely, under the provisions of Sections 102 and 268 of Customs Ordinance, 1908.

Packages not cleared before the 3rd day of April 1913, will be opened and a list of contents made.

No Bill of Entry will be accepted after 3 p.m. on the 4th April.

Mark or Address	Warehouse Date.	Number on Packages.	Quantity of Packages.	Name of Steamer.	Remarks.
M.Co./819	10th Dec. 1912	25/29	5 Cases	Winneba	
,,	,,	31	1 ,,	,,	
A.A./250	,,	62/3	2 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	53	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	81	1 ,,	,,	
D.S.&B./650	11th Dec. 1912	2/3	2 ,,	Mendi	
E.B./JEE	,,	22	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	3/4	2 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	11	1 ,,	,,	
ZOK—	,,	20/21	2 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	22/23	2 Barrels	,,	
E.B./JEE	12th Dec. 1912	7/10	4 Cases	,,	
,,	,,	2	1 ,,	,,	
D.S.B./650	,,	1	1 Barrel	,,	
HCED	11th Dec. 1912	7861	1 Case	,,	
,,	12th Dec. 1912	7862	1 ,,	,,	
F.T.H.B./662	18th Dec. 1912	1/3	3 Packages	Burutu	
,,	,,	4	1 Case	,,	
W.D.WFB/GAG	,,	—	1 ,,	,,	
MALLORY	,,	1080	1 Box	,,	
A.S.&Co./9	27th Dec. 1912	267/8	2 Cases	Palma	
ACSK	,,	50	1 ,,	Aro	
,,	28th Dec. 1912	51/2	2 ,,	,,	
,,	27th Dec. 1912	53	1 ,,	,,	
,,	28th Dec. 1912	54	1 Keg	,,	
,,	27th Dec. 1912	55/7	3 Cases	,,	
F.T.H.B./481	,,	—	6 Bags Rice	,,	

As many of the marks are very indistinct, the Collector of Customs cannot hold himself responsible for the accuracy or sufficiency of the published marks.

Customs House,
Calabar,
21st February 1913.

C. H. CHAMBERS,
Acting Collector of Customs.

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OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 14TH MARCH 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL 12th March:—

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BURUTU, 15th March:—

Mr. A. L. Auchinleck, Assistant Resident, Sergeant H. G. Glogg, Lieut. A. St. J. M. Warrand, N.N.R.

POSTINGS:—Fremantle Zaria, Laing Yola.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 12.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 25TH MARCH, 1913.

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BURUTU, 22nd March:—

Lieut. T. R. McLellan, N.N.R.

POSTINGS:—Dunlop Yola.

NORTHERN NIGERIA.
WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.
NO. 54.

Downing Street,
22nd February, 1913.

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Sir,
Your most obedient,
humble servant,
L. HARCOURT.

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The Unsettled Districts Proclamation
(No. 9 of 1910, Scheduled, Chapter 68.)

BAUCHI PROVINCE.

All that part of Baron and Sura lying South of a line drawn East and West through the Village of Kereng Sura is unsettled and declared closed.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
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The Infectious Diseases Proclamation.

(No. 9 of 1910, Schedule Chapter 38.)

ORDER UNDER SECTION 37.

From the 6th day of March 1913 until further order all persons found within the following areas who have not been previously inoculated or vaccinated successfully or who have not had small-pox shall be vaccinated :—

From a point one mile due East of the junction of the Katsena Road and Kubani River thence in a straight line due North to Kiawe Village. From Kiawe Village due West to Honwa Rock. From Honwa, South to the Kubani River, thence following Kubani river to starting point.

Sabon Gari, the boundaries of which are as follows:—

From the North point of the B.K.R. Dam along a line due North of the B.L.R., then along the B.L.R. to the Bridge crossing the Galma river and thence back to the North point on the B.K.R. Dam.

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Page 40. Insert after paragraph 378 :—

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378*b*. Rent is to be paid at the station at which such goods are eventually cleared, and when the goods are transferred the date of first deposit is to be shown on the transire for the goods to enable the responsible officer to calculate the rent. No deduction is to be made for the period during which the goods are in transit.

378*c*. No transfer of goods from one warehouse to another will be allowed except on the distinct understanding that the Customs Authorities accept no liability for the safety of the goods in transit. (A. 2047/9.)

Insert after paragraph 787*a* the following, Page 73 :—

787*b*. In the case of goods in transit to French territory by way of the Nigerian Railway to Kano, the person in charge of the goods is to pay all reasonable charges for services rendered.

787*c*. Any such person must make their own arrangements for storage and houseroom.

787*d*. The goods are to be taken out of British territory by the shortest route.

787*e*. Arms, ammunition and spirits the property of the French Government are to be allowed through under seal and verified by the Customs officer on the Katsena Frontier.

787*f*. Arms, ammunition and spirits the property of private individuals cannot be allowed in transit as they are precluded by law. (B. 2562/12.)

Insert after paragraph 216, the following :—

216*a*. The Supervisor in charge of the Revenue Branch must give special attention to the collection of the Customs Duties on Kola Nuts on which a high duty is charged.

216*b*. On the arrival of the Branch Boat plying between Lagos and the Gold Coast he should detail a First Class Officer to attend to the consignees, and should personally receive the duties paid thereon.

216*c*. When a consignee presents his weighing ticket from the Customs Sheds the Officer detailed for assessing the duty must see that the number and description of the packages are shown thereon and that the ticket is initialled by a Supervisor. He should calculate the duty payable, insert it on the ticket, place his initials beneath it, enter all the particulars in a note-book kept for the purpose, and direct the owner to the Supervisor in charge of the Revenue Branch.

216*d*. On receiving a weighing ticket the Supervisor is to satisfy himself that it is in order, receive the sum mentioned therein and sign both portions of the ticket. The thick portion should be returned to the consignee as his warrant of delivery and the thin copy must be retained, and attached to the Bills of Entry.

216*e*. The Supervisor is to see that all the money collected by him from day to day is paid into the Bank in accordance with the requirements of paragraph 196*a*, and when the whole cargo has been delivered, that Bills of Entry, supported by each day's credit slips, are handed over to the Cashier for all consignments shewn as delivered by the Warehouse Books, and before the Bills of Entry are passed the Supervisor in charge of the Customs Warehouse must certify on the fact of the Original that the particulars agree with those shown in the Warehouse books, and the thick, portions of the ticket received by him.

216*f*. At outstations the European Officer in charge of the Port is to check the collections.

160 Rentals.

NOTICE 1 appearing in Gazette No. 1 of 1912 is hereby cancelled and Notice No. 432 appearing in Gazette No. 10 of 1911 is again brought into force, reading as follows :—

It is hereby notified for general information that all rents payable in respect of Occupation of land (except those payable in respect of Mining Leases and Exclusive Prospecting Licences) will in future be collected by the Residents of the Provinces in which the land is situated.

161 Amendment to G.S.O. No. 2.

NOTICE No. 36.

With reference to para 4. of G. S. O. No. 2 "Financial Instructions" Estimates are now required to reach the Secretariat by July 1st in each year instead of October 1st as therein stated.

162 Amendment to G. S. O. No. 65 "Discovery of Minerals."

NOTICE No. 37.

LAST sentence of para. 2 delete the words commencing from "The Governor may" and also last 4 lines of para 3 after the word "so" in line 3.

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THE following additional list of Licensed Surveyors is published for general information :—

L. G. Hutchison
T. H. Ellis
D. H. Fraser
R. F. Edkins
G. A. L. Joyce
E. W. Bryde
G. N. Hammond
A. A. Davidson
W. Williamson
A. W. Davies
G. O. Canning
A. D. Peacock
T. M. Lowry
F. W. Thomas
J. H. Jeffers

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NOTICE is hereby given that until further notice all qualified and registered medical practitioners in the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria are at liberty to purchase drugs and medicines in the form of prescriptions from the Government stores on the same terms as Government medical officers, should they wish to do so.

The following Tariff is in use :—

TARIFF.

For each ounce of mixture, lotion, injection or draught isssued ... 1d
For each ounce of ointment ... 2d
For each ounce of powder ... 2d
Two pills ... . ½d
Two tabloids ... ... ½d

Provided in all cases that the charges for medicaments shall not be less than sufficient to cover invoice price, customs duty, freight and other charges.

165 Extract from London Gazette.

THE following extract from the London Gazette dated 11th March, 1913, is published for information :—

* * *

The King has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Ernest Victor Parodi Esq., (Puisne Judge, Northern Nigeria), to be Judge of the Circuit Court of the Protectorate and Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Sierra Leone.

166 Erratum.

Notice No. 71 Gazette No. 3 of 1913, the date of resumption of duty of Mr. A. E. Goodwin, Assistant Keeper of Gaols is 7th February, 1913, and not as stated therein.

167 Rise and Fall of the River Benue.

FOR THE MONTH ENDING JANUARY, 31ST 1913.

Date.	RIVER BENUE.			
	Ibi.		Abinsi.	
	Rise ins.	Fall ins.	Rise ins.	Fall ins.
1st to 5th - -	—	3	—	4
Week ending 12th -	—	6	—	7½
do. 19th -	—	6	—	6
do. 26th -	—	3	—	2½
27th to 31st - -	—	2½	—	5
Total Fall ...	—	1ft. 8½ins.	—	2ft. 11in.

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DAILY RISE AND FALL OF RIVER NIGER, FOR MONTH ENDING 28TH FEBRUARY, 1913. STATION LOKOJA.

Date.	Rise.	Fall.	Total		Remarks.
	ins.	ins.	ft.	ins.	
1	—	1	7	12	
2	—	—	7	12	
3	—	—	7	12	
4	—	—	7	12	
5	—	—	7	12	
6	—	—	7	12	
7	—	—	7	12	
8	—	—	7	12	
9	—	1	7	11	
10	—	—	7	11	
11	—	—	7	10	
12	—	1	7	11	
13	—	—	7	10	
14	—	—	7	10	
15	—	—	7	10	
16	—	1	7	9	
17	—	—	7	9	
18	—	1	7	8	
20	—	—	7	8	
21	—	—	7	8	
22	—	—	7	8	
23	—	—	7	8	
24	—	—	7	8	
25	—	—	7	8	
26	—	1	7	7	
27	—	—	7	7	
28	—	1	7	6	
	—	7ins.	Total Fall	7ins.	

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A WARRANT establishing a Native Court under the Native Courts Proclamation with the approval of the Governor, under the Seal of the Protectorate, has been issued as under:—

Province.	Grade	Name of Court.	Date of warrant.
Yola ...	C	Alkali's Court of Namtari.	22nd Feb. 1913.

170 **Allowance of Proclamation.**

THE power of disallowance has not been exercised with respect to the undermentioned Proclamation of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria:—

No. 1 of 1913, entitled "A Proclamation to further amend the Cantonments Proclamation."

By His Excellency's Command,
C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
15th April, 1913.

171 **Post Office Notice.**

ON and from April 1st 1913 the issue of Money Orders at Baro will be discontinued.

H. M. WOOLLEY,
Postmaster-General.

172 **Customs Notice.**

IT is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor has decided not to declare Oron a Port of Entry for the purpose of entering and clearing ships.

Merchants who desire to load or discharge cargo at Oron may be allowed to do so on application to the Collector of Customs, Calabar.

T. F. BURROWES,
Comptroller of Customs.

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NOTICE is hereby given that SIR WILLIAM NEVILL MONTGOMERIE GEARY, Baronet, of the Inner Temple, Barrister-at-Law, has been admitted and enrolled as Barrister and Solicitor of the Supreme Court of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria on the 25th day of March 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Chief Registrar.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru,
31st March, 1913.

174 **JUDICIAL NOTICES.**

In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. John, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. John deceased, who died at Bukuru in the Central Province on the 24th day of March 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Assistant Resident D. Hollis the Provisional Administrator at Bukuru in the said Province on or before the 15th day of April 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 26th day of March, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
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In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. William McSheehy, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. William McSheehy deceased, who died at Jos in the Central Province on the 25th day of March 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. George Menzies the Provisional Administrator at Jos in the said Province on or before the 30th day of June 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 31st day of March, 1913.

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The Supreme Court Registry,
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176 **List of Traders Licenses Issued in Ilorin Province for the Quarter ending 31st December, 1912.**

Province.	Place.	Person to whom issued.	No. of License.	Amount. £	Amount. s.	Amount. d.	Description of License.
Ilorin ...	Offa ...	The Lagos Stores Ltd.	1/4 ...	10	—	—	Second Class.

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177 **Commissions.**

The following Commissions have been issued:—

Name.	Appointment.	Nature of Commission.	Province.	Period.	Date of Commission.
Mr. R. Scott Chapman ...	Assistant Resident ...	To exercise Judicial Powers up to 2 years imprisonment, £50 fine and 24 lashes.	Ilorin ...	While in charge of Provincial Office, Ilorin.	17th Mar. 1913
Mr. W. H. Sykes ...	do. ...	do.	Zaria ...	While in charge of Provincial Office, Zaria.	20th Mar. „

178 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Dr. James Clement Cardwell Hogan ...	Medical Officer	Medical	26th Feb. 1913 ...	14th Mar. 1913 ...
Mr. Arthur Hubert Mottram ...	Assistant Inspector of Mines	Mines	do. ...	do.
Dr. John Abernethy Beattie ...	Medical Officer	Medical	5th Mar. „ ...	21st Mar. „ ...
Mr. Ralph Herbert Long	Accountant	Post and Telegraphs ...	12th Mar „ ...	27th Mar. „ ...
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. Algernon Sydney Bryan Montagu ...	2nd Class Clerk and Operator	Post and Telegraphs ...	2nd Feb. „ ...	8th Feb. „
Mr. Joseph Thomas David Duncan ...	2nd Class Clerk	Political & Administrative ...	5th Feb. „ ...	7th Feb. „
Dirisu	Interpreter	do. do. ...	18th Feb. „ ...	Engaged locally.
Sambo	Political Agent	do. do. ...	1st Dec. 1912 ...	do.
Amadu	do.	do. do. ..	do. ...	do.
Rikaya	do.	do. do. ...	do. ...	do.

179 **Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. G. N. Virtue	Political and Administrative ...	Resident Zaria	18th March 1913.	
Mr. K. V. Elphinstone	do. do. ...	do. Ilorin	27th March „	

180 **Confirmation of Appointments.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Dr. R. Willan	Medical Officer	Medical	3rd April 1909.	
Dr. J. W. Thompson	do.	do.	10th January 1912.	

181 **Termination of Appointment.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. R. C. Sam	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative	24th February 1913.	

182 **Promotions.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
Mr. G. R. Matthews ...	Chief Assistant Secretary	Principal Assistant Secretary ...	Chief Secretary's ...	1st April 1912.
Mr. G. O. Nugent * ...	Assistant Secretary	2nd Assistant Secretary	do. ...	do.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. John Howe	1st Class Clerk	Assistant Chief Clerk	do. ...	1st January 1913.
Mr. J. E. Buckle	Learner	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	do.

* Not as stated in Gazette No. 2, of 1913.

183 **Resignations.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. D. H. C. Monro	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	2nd February 1913.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Kolo	Interpreter	do. ...	31st December 1912.	

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184 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the date mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months.	Days.	Months.	Days.			
Mr. H. F. C. Holme ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	19th Mar. 1913	—	Full salary.
Mr. W. F. Gowers	1st Class Resident	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	20th Mar. 1913	do.
Dr. J. M. Dalziel	Medical Officer	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	26th Mar. „	—	do.
Dr. W. H. A. G. Hall ...	Senior Medical Officer	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	27th Mar. „	do.
Mr. E. S. Pembleton ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr B E. B. Shaw	Assistant Conservator of Forests ...	2 ...	—	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. C. Gold	Telegraph Inspector, 2nd Grade ...	2 ...	—	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. J. M. M. Dunlop ...	Attorney General	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	3rd Apl. „	do.
Mr. H. S. W. Edwardes ...	3rd Class Resident	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. J. A. Silcock	Assistant Resident	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Dr. M. W. Manuk ...	Medical Officer	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do
Mr. A. D. Hamlyn ...	3rd Assistant Secretary	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Dr. B. A. Percival ...	Medical Officer	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	10th Apl. „	do.
Mr. W. D. K. Mair ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. P. R. Diggle	do.	2 ...	40 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. A. H. Hodges ...	Assistant Treasurer	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Dr. M. C. Blair	Senior Sanitary Officer	2 ...	40 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	11th Apl. „	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. D. H. John	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	3 ...	—	— ...	— ...	—	27th Feb. „	Full salary. Gambia.

185 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Mr. E. J. Arnett	2nd Class Resident	17 days	9th Feb. 1913 ...	25th Feb. 1913 ...	Without salary. Urgent private affairs.
Mr. N. E. Ritchie	Foreman of Works, P.W.D. ...	4 months ...	5th Dec. 1912 ...	4th Apl. „ ...	Half salary. Ill health.
Mr. J. M. Freemantle ...	2nd Class Resident	10 days	2nd Mar. 1913 ..	11th Mar. „ ...	Without salary.
Mr. G. F. Mason	District Supdt. of Post and Telgs.	7 weeks ...	26th Feb. „ ...	15th Apl. „ ...	Half salary. Ill-health.
Capt. P. Londsdale ...	3rd Class Resident	11 days	8th Mar. „ ...	18th Mar. „ ...	Full salary. To complete his attendance at the current session of the Tropical African Services Course.
Capt. P. Londsdale ...	do.	1 week	19th Mar. „ ...	25th Mar. „ ...	Without salary. Urgent private affairs.
Mr. F. H. H. Graves ...	Accountant, P.W.D.	3 weeks ...	26th Feb. „ ...	18th Mar. „ ...	Half salary.
NATIVE STAFF.					
Mr. S. E. Coker	1st Class Clerk, Political & Admin.	6 weeks ...	24th Mar. „ ...	4th May „ ...	Half salary. Ill-health.
Mr. A. R. George, Treasury ...	Assistant Chief Clerk ...	1 month ...	24th Mar. „ ...	23rd Apl. „ ...	do. Ill-health.

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186 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Dr. J. W. Thomson	Medical Officer	Medical	8th March 1913.	
Mr. E. J. Arnett	2nd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	14th March	
Mr. G. N. Vertue	3rd Class Resident	do. do. ...	do	
Dr. F. Manning	Deputy P. M. O.	Medical	do.	
Mr. A. E. Dawson	Telegraph Inspector (1st Grade) ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	do.	
Mr. J. Withers Gill	3rd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	21st March 1913.	
Mr. A. Campbell-Irons ...	do.	do. do. ...	do.	
Mr. C. Townsend	Telegraph Inspector (2nd Grade) ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	do.	
Capt. J. M. Fremantle	2nd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	27th March 1913.	
Dr. J. W. Scott-Macfie ...	Medical Officer	Medical ...	do.	
Sergt. F. S. Flint	Sergeant	Medical	do.	
Mr. E. H. B. Laing	3rd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	28th March ,,	
Mr. K. T. Rae	Asst. Superintendent of Agriculture ...	Agriculture	5th April ,,	
Dr. M. F. Ellis	Medical Officer	Medical	do. ,,	
Mr. W. C. C. Dunlop	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	6th April ,,	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. G. M. Amissah	1st Class Clerk	Treasury	28th February 1913.	
Mr. G. P. H. Lyall	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	14th March ,,	
Mr. A. Lyall	do ...	do.	do.	
Mr. J. Daniel	Assistant Chief Clerk	Audit	do.	
Mr. A. J. Hughes	1st Class Clerk	Police	do.	
Mr. R. J. Loo	do.	Public Works	27th March ,,	

187 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Colour-Sergt. A. M. Jarvis ...	Colour Sergeant	Mounted Infantry, N. N. Regt. ...	Higher Standard } Progress and Final }	17th December 1912.
Mr. W. Morgan	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	Lower Standard ...	10th January 1913.
Mr. G. J. F. Tomlinson ...	3rd Class Resident	do. do. ...	Higher Standard Final...	1st March 1913.
Lieut. C. Luxford	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	Lower Standard Progress	15th March 1913.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. I. C. O. Gouch	Senior Warder	Prisons	Colloquial Test ...	7th February 1913.
Mr. V. S. Williams	1st Class Clerk	Cantonment Magistrate's Office ...	do. ...	12th February 1913.
Mr. U. C. C. May	do.	Public Works	do. ...	13th February 1913.
Mr. J. A. Saba	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
Mr. D. A. John	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs	do. ...	do.
Mr. W. T. Wilson	2nd Class Clerk and Operator .	do.	do. ...	do.
Mr. L. W. Bailey	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	do.	do. ...	14th February 1913.
Mr. D. G. Williams	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	do.	do. ...	1st March 1913.

188 **English Examination.**

Under the provisions of G. S. O. No. 52, para. 4, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.	Remarks.
NATIVE SOLDIERS.				
No. 5546 Coy. Sergt. Major Alhadji ...	"H" Company, 1st Bn., N.N.R. ...	Lower Standard	23rd January 1913.	
,, 6023 Sergt. Esa Kano	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
,, 5128 Lance Sergt. Sumaila ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
,, 4844 Lance Corpl. Momadu Bida ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
,, 4650 Drummer Moma	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
No. 5509 Ag. Lance Corporal Momadu Kukawa ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
No. 6977 Ag. Lance Corporal Moma ...	do do. ...	do.	do	
,, 6026 Private Brimah Gerko ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
,, 6521 Private Osuman Ilorin ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	

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WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

Power of Commanding Officer.

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Under the provisions of Proclamation No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter XVIII, section 40, the Commandant, Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, has, with the concurrence of the Governor, conferred the Power of Commanding Officer on the following Officer:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Whilst Commanding Detachment at	Date of Warrant.	Remarks.
Capt. W. J. Maule	1st Bn. N. N. Regt. ...	Kano	19th February 1913. ...	—

Appointments and Assumption of Duty.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Lieut. Lionel Neil Alexander Mackinnon, Coldstream Guards	Company Officer... ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	19th February 1913.	7th March 1913.
Lieut. John George Joseph Kilkelly, Royal Munster Fusiliers	do	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	do.	8th March 1913.
Lieut. Gerald Heygate, Royal Field Artillery	do.	1st Bn., N. N. R. ..	26th February 1913	14th March 1913.

Promotion.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	With effect from.
BRITISH N.C.O.			
Sergeant T. A. Vise	2/Rating Sergt. Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	1st Rating Sergeant	25th October 1912.

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

Leave of Absence.

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LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers, as regards those proceeding to England, from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the date mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months	Days	Months	Days			
Lieut. H. N. Vinen ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	20th Feb. 1913	Full Salary.
Lieut. C. Luxford	do.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	6th Mar. „	do.
Lieut. W. T. McG Bate. ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Capt. J. F. Badham ...	M. I., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	13th Mar. „	do.
Colonel E. P. Strickland, D. S. O.	Headquarters, N. N. Regt. ...	2 ...	40 ...	— ...	— ...	—	20th Mar. „	do.
Capt. G. E. O. F. Lambert ...	M. I., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	- ...	—	27th Mar. „	do.
Lieut. C. S. Field	1st Bn. N. N. Regt	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
BRITISH N.C.Os.								
1/Rating Sergt. W. King ...	do.	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	20th Feb. „	do.
Armourer Sergt. G. A. Fraser ...	do.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	13th Mar. „	do.
2/Rating Sergt. W. H. Ireland	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	19th Mar. 1913	—	do.
Invalided.								
1/Rating Sergt. T. A. Buller ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	— ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	13th Mar. „	do.

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193 **Extension of Leave.**

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.	
Lieut. A. St. J. M. Warrand ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	6 weeks ...	15th Jan. 1913 ...	25th Feb. 1913 ...	Ill-health.	Half salary.
Lieut. H. H. Baxter ...	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	— ...	5th Dec. 1912 ...	21st May „ ...	do.	Army rate.
Capt. J. O. Hopkinson ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	6 weeks ...	19th Feb. 1913 ...	1st April „ ...	do.	Half salary.
Capt. E. Stone	M. I., N. N. Regt.	— ...	20th Feb. „ ...	23rd Mar. „ ...	do.	Army rate.
Capt. A. H. Hobbs ...	Captain & Adjutant, 2/N.N.R. ...	3 months & 13 days	1st March 1913	13th June 1913	do.	do.

194 **Resumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Capt. I. G. Sewell	Company Commander	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	7th March 1913.
Lieut. H. H. Hebden	Company Officer	M. I., N. N. Regt.	28th February 1913.
Lieut. A. St. J. M. Warrand	do.	2nd Bn., N N Regt.	15th March 1913.
BRITISH N. C. Os.			
Armourer Sergt. A. Cole	Armourer Sergeant	M. I., N. N. Regt.	28th February 1913.
Colour Sergt. J. Waterson	Colour Sergeant	do.	do.
Sergeant J. P. Loughran	2nd Rating Sergeant	Artillery, N. N. Regt.	do.
Sergeant F. D. O'Leary	Band Sergeant	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	8th March 1913.
Sergeant H. G. Glogg	1st Rating Sergeant	do.	15th March „
NATIVE STAFF.			
Mr. John Amissah	Pay Clerk, 3rd Grade	M. I., N. N. Regt.	14th March „

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

195 **Transfers.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Capt. L. D' A. Fox	Company Officer ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Sierra Leone Bn., W. A. F. F.	— ..	29th Jan. 1913.
Lieut. H. N. Fairbank	do.	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	Subaltan	do.
Lieut. H. H. Hebden	do.	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Mounted Infantry, N.N.R ...	Company Officer ...	12th Feb. 1913.
Capt. E. J. Wolseley	Company Commander ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Company Commander	19th Feb. 1913.
Capt. Ivon Govett Sewell ...	do.	Southern Nigeria Regt. ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	do. ...	do.
NATIVE STAFF.					
Mr. S. G. Mensah	Pay Clerk, 2nd Class ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Agricultural Department ...	1st Class Clerk ...	8th Mar. 1913.

196 **Resignation.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	With effect from.
Capt. T. C. R. Higgins	Company Officer.	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	11th December 1912.

197 **Re-absorptions.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of re-absorption into British Regiment.
Captain A. W. C. Knox	Company Commander	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	27th January 1913.
Captain A. H. Hobbs	Adjutant	do. ...	1st March „
Lieutenant-Colonel T. A. Rose, D.S.O. ...	Commanding Officer	do. ...	16th March „
BRITISH N. C. O.			
Sergeant S. F. J. Ward	2nd Rating Sergeant	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	3rd February „

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198 **Comparative Statement of Revenue for the period ended 30th September 1912.**

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Estimates 1912—1913.	Actual Revenue to 30th Sept. 1912.	Revenue for same period of preceding year.	Increase.	Decrease.	REMARKS.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1 Customs	35,000 0 0	18,844 6 11	13,674 19 11	5,169 7 0	...	Increased receipts.
2 Land Revenue	395,000 0 0	111,295 18 4	93,445 8 5	17,850 9 11	...	Increased collections.
3 Licences and Internal Revenue ...	3,650 0 0	1,947 14 6	2,123 6 4	...	175 11 10	
4 Fees of Court, Payments for Specific Services and Reimbursements in aid	4,641 0 0	2,605 1 11	3,101 7 11	...	496 6 0	
5 Post and Telegraphs	14,100 0 0	2,469 10 6	*3,154 17 3	5,624 7 9	...	Due to adjustment in 1911 to 1912 of amount erroneously carried to Revenue in previous years subsequently charged to expenditure.
6 Marine Services	14,460 0 0	6,990 0 5	7,772 4 0	...	782 3 7	Decreased earnings.
7 Rents of Government Property ...	2,400 0 0	1,294 14 10	1,188 7 10	106 7 0	...	Increased number of leases.
8 Mines	13,150 0 0	7,883 3 11	6,271 10 6	1,611 13 5	...	Increased development of Mining Industry.
9 Miscellaneous Receipts	370 0 0	460 5 4	354 12 7	105 12 9	...	Casual.
	482,711 0 0	153,790 16 8	124,777 0 3	30,467 17 10	1,454 1 5	
10 Contribution from Southern Nigeria ...	70,000 0 0	35,000 0 0	35,000 0 0	...	...	
Total Local Revenue	552,711 0 0	188,790 16 8	159,777 0 3	30,467 17 10	1,454 1 5	Net Increase £29,013 16 5.
11 Baro-Kano Railway Receipts	66,000 0 0	39,779 17 9	14,477 8 8	25,302 9 1	..	Increased earnings.
12 Bauchi Light Railway Receipts ...	22,982 0 0	10,552 19 8	...	10,552 19 8	...	do. do.
	641,693 0 0	239,123 14 1	174,254 8 11	66,323 6 7	1,454 1 5	Net Increase £64,869 5 2.
13 Imperial Grant-in-aid	156,000 0 0	65,000 0 0	185,000 0 0	...	120,000 0 0	Imperial Grant-in-aid reduced by £180,758 as compared with previous year.
Total Revenue	797,693 0 0	304,123 14 1	359,254 8 11	66,323 6 7	121,454 1 5	

* Deduct.

The Treasury,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,

J. H. BRATT,
Treasurer.

199 **Comparative Statement of Expenditure for the period ended 30th September 1912.**

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.	Estimates 1912—1913.	Actual Expenditure to 30th Sept. 1912.	Expenditure for same period of preceding year.	Increase.	Decrease.	REMARKS.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1 Pensions and Gratuities	5,598 0 0	3,650 13 2	1,938 3 6	1,712 9 8	...	New pensions and payment of £1,000 Gratuity to Dr. B. Flood late M.O.
2 Governor and Staff	5,220 0 0	1,775 3 1	2,125 16 6	...	350 13 5	Sir H. H. Bell paid half pay period 22nd April to 18th June 1912.
3 Chief Secretary's Department ...	11,885 0 0	5,683 10 2	5,019 19 4	663 10 10	...	Regrading of staff and one new appointment.
4 Provincial Administration	95,785 0 0	45,859 1 4	43,711 5 9	2,147 15 7	...	Increase of 2nd Class Residents and provision for duty pay (new).
5 Treasury Department	7,299 0 0	3,741 16 2	3,455 6 9	286 9 5	...	Vacancies not filled in 1911 to 1912.
6 Customs „	4,833 0 0	2,185 12 7	1,730 6 9	455 5 1	...	Increase of Native Staff.
7 Audit „	4,189 0 0	1,861 15 6	1,561 3 9	300 11 9	...	Increase of Native Staff.
8 Marine „	46,000 0 0	24,066 1 2	22,856 17 9	1,209 3 5	...	Increased expenditure first half of year.
9 Legal „	3,484 0 0	1,222 9 1	1,691 15 5	...	469 6 4	Due to transfer of Attorney General.
10 Police „	28,088 0 0	14,369 17 3	12,825 19 3	1,543 18 0	...	B.K.R. charges for Police discontinued.
11 Prisons „	10,776 0 0	5,653 8 2	4,950 4 2	703 4 0	...	Increase in Prison Necessaries and Food.
12 Medical „	37,947 0 0	17,962 2 7	16,981 6 7	980 16 0	...	Increase in Staff M. Os. and Subordinates.
13 Sanitation „	3,010 0 0	1,090 15 10	1,080 18 8	9 17 2	...	Increase in Staff and Printing and supplying School Books.
14 Education „	2,499 0 0	946 11 3	673 13 1	272 18 2	...	Decreased expenditure.
15 Transport „	32,443 0 0	16,499 8 6	16,902 5 1	...	402 16 7	Reduction of strength.
16 Military Expenditure	155,802 0 0	78,018 3 0	81,189 13 3	...	3,171 10 3	
17 Miscellaneous Services	7,733 0 0	4,442 4 3	4,484 1 10	...	41 17 7	Maintenance of Railway Telegraph lines transferred to P. and T.
18 Posts and Telegraphs Department ...	24,420 0 0	12,205 13 4	10,316 7 8	1,889 5 8	...	
19 Agricultural Department	4,995 0 0	958 5 6	867 13 2	90 12 4	...	
20 Public Works Department	13,817 0 0	5,761 18 6	5,484 18 5	277 0 1	...	
21 Public Works Recurrent	16,600 0 0	5,818 13 10	4,182 18 11	1,635 14 11	...	Increased expenditure.
22 Mines Department	3,797 0 0	1,250 17 0	1,537 4 2	...	286 7 2	This decrease expenditure on Survey Mining area.
23 Cantonments	1,412 0 0	474 1 5	805 8 0	...	331 6 7	
Barijuko Tramway	...	...	7 12 4	...	7 12 4	
24 Land and Survey Department ...	2,400 0 0	761 1 9	821 5 3	...	60 3 6	
Total ordinary & recurrent Expenditure ...	530,032 0 0	256,259 4 5	247,202 5 4	14,178 12 10	5,121 13 9	Net Increase £9,056 19 1.
25 Public Works Extraordinary	38,030 0 0	9,416 10 4	5,338 4 2	4,078 6 2	...	
26 Telegraphs „	3,500 0 0	1,482 10 10	624 3 8	858 7 2	...	
	571,562 0 0	267,158 5 7	253,164 13 2	19,115 6 2	5,121 13 9	
28 Native Affairs	193,000 0 0	56,627 12 5	39,757 11 10	16,870 0 7	...	Increase in share Native Revenue.
29 Baro-Kano Railway, Open Lines ...	97,882 0 0	41,031 18 6	24,798 11 4	16,233 7 2	...	Increased Mileage.
30 Bauchi Light Railway „	19,921 0 0	5,688 15 1	...	5,688 15 1	...	do. ;
31 Interest on Railway Loans	63,000 0 0	24,880 11 7	22,878 2 5	2,002 9 2	...	
Total Expenditure ... £	945,365 0 0	395,387 3 2	340,598 18 9	59,909 18 2	5,121 13 9	Net Increase £54,788 4 5.

The Treasury,
Zungeru,

J. H. BRATT,
Treasurer.

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NOTICE.

NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

THE attention of the Public is called to the following alterations to the Railway Tariff as published on October 15th 1912, which have been duly authorised by the Director of Railways and Works under Proclamation No. 3 of 1909 Northern Nigeria.

Alterations.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Remarks.	Date to have effect.
Page 103 of the Goods Tariff.	New Owowo 15/9	Palm Oil rate from New Owowo to Iddo should read 13/9 and not 15/9.	16	Textual alteration only.	Actually in force.
Page 96.	*To be cancelled*:— Liquor, Whisky, Brandy, Gin etc., for Trade Spirits. See Spirits Trade.	*To be substituted*:— (In alphabetical classification). Whiskey ... ... Class 3 Brandy ... ... Class 3 Gin (other than trade gin) Class 3 Rum (other than trade rum)... Class 3	17	No alteration in rate. Textual alteration only.	March 10th 1913.
Page 111.	Spirits other than Trade. See Liquor.				
Page 26.		*Insert*:— (Below the rates for silver). On presentation of packages for booking they will be weighed. From the gross weight an allowance of 3 lbs will be granted for each £100 sterling to allow for the tare of the Box. It will be assumed for purposes of calculating freight charges that every 28 lbs gross weight contains £100 in silver.	18	To make provision for tare of box.	March 10th 1913.
Page 115.		*Insert*:— Velveteen, or metal printed velvet of cotton manufacture to be classed as piece goods of cotton manufacture at 2nd Class Goods Rates.	19	Omitted in the published classification.	March 10th 1913
Page 109.	-	Sateen, to be classed as piece goods of cotton manufacture at 2nd Class Goods Rates.			
Page 98.	*To be cancelled*:— Matches, Congreve. See pages 52 to 68, Class — Matches, Lucifer. See pages 52 to 68. Class 3. Matches, Safety. See pages 52 to 68. Class 3. Matches, Vesuvian. See pages 52 to 68. Class —	*To be substituted*:— Matches, Congreve ... Class 3 ,, Lucifer ... Class 3 ,, Safety ... Class 3 ,, Vesuvian ... Class 3	20	No alteration except that they are not now classed as explosive goods.	March 10th 1913.
Page 89.		*Insert*:— (Below the Special Rates for gin). Trade Spirits will not be accepted for despatch to Stations North of Ikirun.	21	No alteration.	Actually in force but not so specified in Tariff.

General Manager's Office
Ebute Metta,
1st March 1913.

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

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Monthly Meteorological Return.

Place of Observation	Temperature. Highest in the Shade.	Lowest in the Shade.	Mean.	Greatest Diurnal Variation.	Mean relative Humidity 9 a.m.	Rainfall. Total.	Maximum on one day.	Daily average.	No. of days on which rain fell.	Prevailing Wind.	Observer
JANUARY.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.			
Wamba	96	55	80	37	37	1	1	·003	1	E.	Dr. Morrison.
Yola	98	63	81·1	31	53	—	—	—	—	N.W.	Dr. Pollard.
Birnin-Kebbi	102	50	72·4	51	51	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Black.
FEBRUARY.											
Wamba	99	63	82·9	35	48	1	1	·003	1	E.	Dr. Morrison.
Birnini-Kebbi	104	55	79·05	44	47	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Black.
Zungeru	102	62	83·4	40	41	–	—	—	—	S.	Dr. Hall
Kontagora	104	57	82·7	44	27	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. McCay and Staff Sergeant Oliver.
Lokoja	100	64	85·62	33	63	·75	·75	·03	1	S.W.	Dr. C. E. S. Watson.
Kano	100	53	74·9	45	32	—	—	—	1	N.E.	Dr. McGahey.
Bauchi	97	61	79·1	34	26	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Percival.
Ilorin	99	58	83·5	39	58	·03	·02	00	5	S.W.	Dr. Twomey.
Geidam	102	53	77·0	46	31	—	—	—	2	N.E.	Dr. Cobb.
Maiduguri	102	56	78·6	45	31	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. McLeay.
Zaria	100	51	75·33	47	33	·06	·06	·002	1	N.E.	Dr. Doudney.
Katagum	104	54	76·4	47	36	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Chesnaye.
Sokoto	97	59	79·6	31	25	—	—	—	—	E.	Dr. Inness.
Nafada	104	49	77·9	48	31	—	—	—	1	N.E.	Dr. Jeffreys.
Naraguta	93	51	73·3	35	35	·05	·04	·0017	3	E.	Dr. Crichton.
Baro	104	70	88·15	31	58	1	1	·003	2	S.W.	Dr. Moiser.
Ibi	101	62	84·4	39	48	—	—	—	—	S.W.	Dr. Trumper.
Ankpa	97	66	82·6	28	70	—	—	—	2	S.W.	Dr. Johnston.
Kaduna	99·5	53·5	76·2	43·5	25	·11	·11	·003	1	N.E.	Dr. Manuk.
Offa	97·4	63·4	82·4	29	62	·89	·38	·031	3	—	Dr. Maclaine.
Jebba	103	72	88·4	26	53	—	—	—	—	S.	Dr. Sandeman.

15th April, 1913.

F. MANNING
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POSTINGS :—Lonsdale Central.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 14.

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SAILLINGS; Dover, 28th March :—

Capt. J. F. N. Price, Commissioner of Police. (Woermann Line.)

2nd April :—Liverpool.

Sergeants Harvey, McConn, Stroud and Quinlan, Medical, Mr. A. S. Collard, Chief Surveyor, Capt. N. K. Street and Sergeant Newberry, N.N.R.

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Nil.

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The Unsettled Districts Proclamation (No. 9 of 1910 Schedule Chapter 68.)

ZARIA PROVINCE.

WITH reference to the Notice appearing in Gazette Extraordinary No. 12 of 1911, the Districts about the Guri-Srubu Hills and the Rukuba Hills shall be taken to comprise the lands occupied by the Guri, Rumaya, Ruruma, Kittimi and Kaibi tribes. Guri Chief Towns are Katubi Kusan Fadan Kaibi. Srubu Chief Towns are Kerku Kabini. Rukuba Chief Towns are Pitti, Rishinin, Rishinin Bissa, Kisanche, Kushika, Umbam, Umen. Koro, Kuzamani, Kiballo, Kinuku, Rishua and Jiwapa tribes are also included in the Guri Hills and the Binawa and Kurama tribes in the Srubu Hills.

The Unsettled Districts Proclamation (No. 9 of 1910 Schedule Chapter 68.)

BASSA PROVINCE.

WITH reference to the Notice appearing in Gazette Extraordinary No. 4 of 1913, the closed District is all that part of Bassa Province east of a line starting from Amageddi on the River Benue, running South through Abiji-Koro, Kwiambana, Ofangwa, Lafai, Ohia Agwonitcha and Angba, and is bordered on the North by the River Benue, on the East by the Bassa Muri border, on the South by the Bassa Southern Nigeria border and the West by the line from Amageddi to Angba described above.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
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Transport in Nigeria for European Officials with their wives.

1. When an Officer is permitted to bring his wife out to West Africa and she accompanies him, no charge will be made either by a Government vessel or by train and he may claim such accommodation for her as may be available.

2. If an Officer's wife does not accompany him, but comes out by herself to join her husband, she may similarly have a free passage by Government vessel or by train, if available.

3. If an Officer obtains leave to meet his wife and utilizes the leave solely for that purpose, he may have a return passage by Government vessel or by train at half the fare no charge (as above) being made for his wife.

4. If a wife has to leave on account of ill-health, the above rules apply, viz: she will have a free passage herself to port of embarkation when leaving the country, and if her husband accompanies her to the Coast, but does not himself proceeded on leave, he may have a passage both ways at half the fare.

5. If an Officer is sent on a health trip, his wife may have a free passage by Government vessel or by train to accompany him.

6. If an Officer is travelling on duty accompanied by his wife:—

(*a*) By Government vessel or by train she will not be charged anything for her fare and may accompany her husband provided there is accommodation available.

(*b*) Inland, by carrier transport or hired boats, no extra carriers may be charged to Government.

7. It will in no case lie with the Railway or Marine authorities to decide whether or not a passage is to be provided for a lady (or for an official either.) Passages will, as laid down in General Orders, be provided only on Warrant, or, in case of emergency, they may be provided and a debit note against the officer sent to the Treasury.

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THE headquarters of the Nassarawa Province having been temporarily removed from Keffi to Jemaa, all correspondence intended for the Resident of the Nassarawa Province should be addressed to him at the latter place.

206 **G. S. O. No. 70.**

"Examination in Hausa."

NOTICE No. 38.

Para. 22. The name of Mr. G. J. F. Tomlinson is added to the list of Examiners.

207 **Errata.**

Notice No. 122 Gazette No. 5 of 1913, the date on which Mr. J. L. Anderson, 2nd Class Clerk and Operator left Lagos on leave is 26th February, 1913 and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 144 Gazette No. 6 of 1913, the date of appointment and assumption of duty of Mr. J. A. M. Jones is 11th February 1913, and not as stated therein.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
30th April, 1913.

208 **Nigerian Railway.**

THE attention of the public is called to the following alterations and additions to the Railway Tariff as published on October 15th, 1912, which have been duly authorised by the Director of Railways and Works and approved by the Governor in Council under Proclamation No. 3. of 1909 of Northern Nigeria, and which are now published as detailed.

Alterations.

Detail.	Old Rate or Classification	New Rate or Classification	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
New Empty Bags to be used for bagging produce.	1st Class	½rd 1st Class	23	4/4/13.

By order,
F. H. WALLER,
Actg. General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
8th April, 1913.

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The Patents Proclamation.

(No 9 OF 1910 CHAPTER XXVI)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 10 of the above Proclamation that the Registrar of Patents has received from Mr. Milon James Trumble, Chemist, of 1918 Santee Street, Los Angeloe, State of California, United States of America, an application for the grant of a Patent for an invention entitled "Process and apparatus for the evaporation of liquid."

The Complete Specification of the invention has been accepted.

The application and Complete Specification are open for public inspection at the Patent Office during office hours.

Any person desiring to oppose this application must send to the Registrar of Patents notice of such opposition within three months from the date hereof.

Dated the 14th day of April 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Registrar of Patents.

Patents Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,

210 **JUDICIAL NOTICES**

In the Matter of the Estate of the late Charles E. Counter, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Charles E. Counter, deceased, who died at Jos in the Central Province on the 1st day of April 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. C. A. Shaw the Provisional Administrator at Jos in the said Province on or before the 31st day of July 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 14th day of April 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. Q. Gordgon, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Q. Gordgon, deceased, who died at Zaria on the 5th day of April 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Assistant Resident C. J. Chaytor the Provisional Administrator at Zaria on or before the 31st day of July 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

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213 **BORNU PROVINCE.**

Traders, Shopkeepers, and Warehouse Licenses issued during the Quarter ending 31st December, 1912.

Licence No.	Name of Firm.	Station.	Period.	Amount. £	s.	d.	Remarks.
1—1 ... 10/12/12. ...	London and Kano Trading Company.	Maje Kakuri.	1/7/12. — 31/12/12.	2	10	—	Geidam Division.

W. P. HWBT,
Resident.

213 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. John Gladstone Sey	4th Grade Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	5th Sept. 1912 ...	Engaged locally.
Mr. Joseph Soetan	2nd Class Clerk	Political & Administrative ...	13th Feb. 1913 ...	13th Feb. 1913.
Mr. Joseph Hoyle	do.	Mines	26th Feb. „ ...	28th Feb. „
Mr. Carlyle Van-Hien Wallace ...	do.	Political & Administrative ...	do. ...	do.
Mr. Joseph Hagan	2nd Class Clerk and Operator	Post and Telegraphs ...	12th Mar „ ...	14th Mar. „
Mr. Emmanuel Theophilus Ashrifie ...	2nd Class Clerk	Public Works	1st Apl. „ ...	Engaged locally.

214 **Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. P. L. Collisson	Audit	Auditor	1st January 1913.	
Capt. R. F. Ellis	Police	Commissioner of Police	27th February „	
Mr. J. F. Cahill	Prisons	Keeper of Gaols	5th March „	
Mr. H. S. Berkeley	Political and Administrative	Cantonment Magistrate, (Lokoja) ...	31st March „	
Mr. M. L. Tew	Legal, Southern Nigeria ...	Attorney-General, Northern Nigeria ...	4th April „	
Dr. H. A. Foy	Sanitation	Senior Sanitary Officer	10th April „	

215 **Confirmation of Appointment.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Dr. B. A. Percival	Medical Officer	Medical	10th January 1912.	

216 **Termination of Appointment.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. E. Lartey	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative	18th March 1913.	

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217 **Promotions.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. R Silva	2nd Class Clerk	1st Class Clerk	Chief Secretary's ...	1st January 1913.
Mr. J. F. Ojo	2nd Class Compositor & Machine Printer	1st Class Compositor	Printing	do.
Mr. W. J. Williams ...	do. do. do.	do.	do.	do.

218 **Permanent Staff.**

The following Native Officials, having completed three years service are placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the dates stated against their names:—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. T. Z. A. John	1st Class Clerk and Operator	Post and Telegraphs ...	10th December 1907.	
Mr. J. S. Sam	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	27th January 1909.	
Mr. I. S. E. Pratt	2nd Class Clerk	do. do, ...	4th March 1910.	

219 **Resignations.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. W. C. Appiah	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	21st February 1913.	
Mr. J. H. McClashing	2nd Class Warder	Prisons	28th February "	
Mr. E. T. Ashrifie	2nd Class Clerk	Public Works	31st March 1913 ...	

220 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months.	Days.	Months.	Days.			
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. W. P. Baffoe	1st Class Clerk, Political & Admin. ...	3	—	—	—	12th March 1913	—	Full Salary. Cape Coast.
Mr. E. T. George	2nd Class Clerk, and Operator ...	3	—	—	—	—	10th April 1913	Full Salary. Sierra Leone

221 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Mrs. H. M. Jones ...	Nurse Medical	3 weeks	8th Mar. 1913	28th Mar. 1913	Half salary. Ill-health.
Capt. J. ff. Hopkinson ...	Assistant Resident	2 months and 22 days	13th Mar. "	3rd June "	do. do.
Dr. P. M. Dwyer ...	2nd Class Resident	1 month and 6 days ...	26th April "	31st May "	do. do.
NATIVE STAFF					
Mr. J. L. Anderson ...	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	1 month ...	4th April 1913	3rd May 1913	Without salary. Ill-health.

222 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. M. B. Abraham	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	14th March 1913	
Mr. E. W. Quartey	1st Class Clerk ...	Public Works	15th March "	
Mr. I. D. Loo	Assistant Chief Clerk	Treasury	27th March "	
Mr. T. J. Mensah	1st Class Clerk	Audit	do. "	
Mr. T. B. A. Colecraft	do.	Political and Administrative ...	28th March "	
Mr. T. W. Palmer	2nd Class Clerk	do. do. ...	11th April "	

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223 **Dismissal.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. S. C. Tuke	2nd Class Clerk & Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	27th February 1913.	

224 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Mr. E. S. Pembleton	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	Lower Standard	22nd March 1913.
Captain J. F. Badham	Company Commander ...	Mounted Infantry, N. N. Regt. ...	Progress and Final Lower Standard Progress	2nd April 1913.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. H. L. Cromanty	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	Colloquial Test ...	10th March 1913.
Mr. G. L. Thorpe	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs	do. ...	1st April "
Mr. J. A. Odoi	1st Class Clerk	Public Works	do. ...	do.
Mr. E. J. Edwards	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs	do. ...	do.

225 **English Examination.**

Under the provisions of G. S. O. No. 52, para. 4, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.	Remarks.
NATIVE SOLDIER.				
No. 4767. Lance Corpl. Isa Ghobe ...	"A" Company, 2nd Bn., N.N.R. ...	Lower Standard	11th February 1913.	

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

226 **Powers of Commanding Officer.**

Under the provisions of Proclamation No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter XVIII, section 40, the Commandant, Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, has, with the concurrence of the Governor, conferred the Power of Commanding Officer on the following Officer:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Whilst Commanding Detachment at	Date of Warrant.	Remarks.
Capt. I. G. Sewell	1st Bn. N. N. Regt. ...	Zungeru ...	29th March 1913. ...	—
Lieut. F. R. Pollock	2nd Bn. N. N. Regt. ...	Yola	17th March 1913. ...	—
Lieut. A. G. C. Colquhoun ...	do. ...	Bauchi	do. ...	—
Lieut. A. R. Peel	do.	Abinsi	do. ...	—

227 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Lieut. Humphry Donatus Stafford O'Brien, Northamptonshire Regiment ...	Company Officer... ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	5th March 1913 ...	21st March 1913.
Lieut. Thomas Rainsford McLellan, Scottish Rifles ...	do	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	do. ...	22nd March 1913.
Lieut. Percy Thomas Easton, Reserve of Officers ...	Quartermaster	do. ...	12th March 1913 ...	28th March 1913.
Lieut. Sir Archibald Charles Gibson-Craig, Bart., Highland Light Infantry ...	Company Officer ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ..	19th March 1913 ...	5th April 1913.
BRITISH N.C.O's.				
Sergeant Arthur Blackall, 12th Lancers	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	M. I., N. N. Regt. ...	12th March 1913 ...	27th March 1913.
Sergeant John William Reid, 16th (The Queen's) Lancers ...	do.	do. ...	do.	do.

228 **Promotions.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	With effect from.
Major J. B. Cockburn	Second-in-Command of Bn. N. N. Regt.	Lieut.-Colonel, Comdg 2nd Bn. N.N.R.	16th March 1913.
Captain T. N. Puckle	Company Commander, 1st Bn. N. N. R.	Major Second-in-Command of Bn. N.N.R	do.
Captain W. J. Terry	Company Officer, 2nd Bn. N. N. Regt.	Company Commander	29th December 1912.
Captain A. B. Priestley	Company Officer, 1st Bn. N. N. Regt.	do.	2nd February 1913.

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229 Leave of Absence.

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officer from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Capt. J. Goold Adams ...	M.I., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	9th Apl. 1913	—	Full salary.
NATIVE STAFF. Mr. C. J. Ankrah, Pay Clerk, 4th Grade.	1st Bn., N. N. Regt	3 ...	— ...	— .	— ...	— ...	—	1 Full salary. With effect from 7th March, 1913. (Date of arrival at Lokoja.)

230 Extension of Leave.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Lieut. F. H. Sasse	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	— ...	2nd Mar. 1913	11th Aug. 1913	Army rate. Ill-health.
Capt. F. Fairlie	do.	2 months & 18 days	11th Mar. ,,	28th May ,,	do. do.
Lieut. J. Bremner	Headquarters, N. N. Regt. ...	10 days ...	16th Mar. ,,	25th Mar. ,,	Without salary. Urgent private affairs.
Major J. B. Orr, D.S.O. ...	Mounted Infantry, N. N. Regt. ...	10 days ...	30th Mar. ,,	8th Apl ,,	Full salary. Detained on public service.
Capt. J. V. Hopkinson ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	1 month ...	2nd April ,,	1st May ,,	Half salary. Ill-health.

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231 Resumption of Duty.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Captain G. C. Kelly	Company Commander	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	5th April 1913.
BRITISH N. C. Os.			
Sergeant T. Moran	2nd Rating Sergeant	M. I., N. N. Regt.	21st March ,,
Quartermarter Sergeant B. N. Ingham	Quartermaster Sergeant	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	27th March ,,

232 Transfer.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
BRITISH N. C. O.					
Sergeant J. W. Reid	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	M. I., N. N. Regt. ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	2nd Rating Sergeant	1st April 1913.

233 Resignation.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	With effect from.
Lieutenant W. E. Williams	Company Officer.	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	3rd January 1913.

234 Re-absorptions.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of re-absorption into British Regiment.
Lieutenant-Colonel E. L. Mackenzie, D.S.O.	Commanding Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	14th January 1913.
Captain L. C. Brodie	Company Officer	M. I., N. N. Regt. ...	18th January ,,
Lieutenant F. H. Sasse	do.	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	2nd March ,,

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235 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 8th February 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 8th Feb. 1913 ...	1,974	649	9,416	1,157	21	43	13,260
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,561	306	4,686	1,167	19	6	7,745
Increase ...	413	343	4,730	—	2	37	5,515
Decrease ...	—	—	—	10	—	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	11,201	2,050	47,943	7,466	105	166	68,931
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	9,249	1,159	27,136	6,031	118	46	43,739
Increase ...	1,952	891	20,807	1,435	—	120	25,192
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	13	—	—

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipt per mean mile £14·54

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,722	470	343	88	2,623
Goods	5,746	103	3,317	1,407	10,573
Telegraph	15	—	3	3	21
Sundries	4	4	35	—	43
Total for Week	7,487	577	3,698	1,498	13,260
Total for current year	42,461	1,568	15,773	9,129	68,931
Corresponding period of 1912	34,363	696	8,680	—	43,739
Increase	8,098	872	7,093	9,129	25,192
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.	
	£	£	£	£	£		£
Total for the Week ...	135	870	152	—	1,157	For the Week	67
Total for current year ...	1,269	5,224	941	32	7,466	Total for current year ..	341
Corresponding period of 1912	859	3,761	306	1,105	6,031	Corresponding period of 1912...	357
Increase ...	410	1,463	635	—	1,435	Increase ...	—
Decrease ...	—	—	—	1,073	—	Decrease ..	16

Ebute Metta,
28th February 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant.

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

236 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the period ending 15th February 1913.

PERIOD	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 15th Feb. 1913 ...	2,073	279	8,844	1,159	20	3	12,378
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,491	234	4,366	996	20	2	7,109
Increase ...	582	45	4,478	163	—	1	5,269
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	13,274	2,329	56,787	8,625	125	169	81,309
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	10,740	1,393	31,502	7,029	138	48	50,848
Increase ...	2,534	936	25,285	1,598	—	121	30,461
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	13	—	—

Mileage Open 912
Mean Mileage Worked 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £13·57.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

PARTICULARS.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba-North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,638	173	470	71	2,352
Goods	5,248	65	3,088	1,602	10,003
Telegraph	15	1	2	2	20
Sundries	1	1	1	—	3
Total for week	6,902	240	3,561	1,675	12,378
Total for current year	49,363	1,808	19,334	10,804	81,309
Corresponding period of 1912	39,653	1,066	10,129	—	50,848
Increase	9,710	742	9,205	10,804	30,461
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.	
	£	£	£	£	£		£
Total for the week ...	79	925	152	3	1,159	For the Week	61
Total for current year ...	1,348	6,149	1,093	35	8,625	Total for current year	402
Corresponding period of 1912	1,069	4,413	306	1,239	7,027	Corresponding period of 1912	416
Increase ...	279	1,736	787	—	1,598	Increase	—
Decrease ...	—	—	—	1,204	—	Decrease	14

Ebute Metta,
6th March, 1913.

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Actg. Chief Accountant.

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager.

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237 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 22nd February 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 22nd Feb. 1913 ...	2,247	195	9,205	1,110	20	10	12,787
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,506	314	5,217	996	21	1	8,055
Increase ...	741	...	3,988	114	...	9	4,732
Decrease ...	...	119	...	...	1	...	...
Total for current year to date ...	15,521	2,524	6,5992	9,735	145	179	94,096
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	12,246	1,707	36,719	8,023	159	49	58,993
Increase ...	3,275	817	29,273	1,712	...	130	35,193
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	14	...	...

Mileage Open 912.
Mean Mileage Worked 912.
Average Receipts per mean mile £14·02.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Idilo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria to Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,761	109	484	88	2,442
Goods	6,500	37	2,568	1,210	10,315
Telegraph	15	1	2	2	20
Sundries	3	5	2	...	10
Total for Week	8,279	152	3,056	1,300	12,787
Total for current year	57,642	1,960	22,390	12,104	94,096
Corresponding period of 1912	46,060	1,264	11,579	...	58,903
Increase	11,582	696	10,811	12,104	35,193
Decrease	...	...	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAYS.	
	£	£	£	£	£		£
Total for the Week ...	149	927	...	34	1,110	For the Week	61
Total for current year ..	1,498	7,075	1,093	69	9,735	Total for current year ...	463
Corresponding period 1912 ...	1,242	5,080	366	1,335	8,023	Corresponding period of 1912	484
Increase ...	256	1,995	727	...	1,712	Increase	...
Decrease ...	...	...	...	1,266	...	Decrease	21

Ebute Metta,
13th March 1913.

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant.

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager

238 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 1st March 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 1st March 1913 ...	1,989	233	12,882	1,120	21	11	16,256
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,428	339	5,336	946	20	5	8,074
Increase ...	561	...	7,546	174	1	6	8,182
Decrease ...	...	106	...	...	...	...	...
Total for Current year to date ...	17,610	2,757	78,874	10,855	166	190	110,352
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	13,674	2,046	42,055	8,969	179	54	66,977
Increase ...	3,836	711	36,819	1,886	...	136	43,375
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	13	..	...

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £17·82

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Idilo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Baro-Kano 356 miles.	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,612	108	402	100	2,222
Goods	8,777	31	4,390	804	14,002
Telegraph	16	1	2	2	21
Sundries	10	...	1	...	11
Total for Week	10,415	140	4,795	906	16,256
Total for current year	68,057	2,100	27,185	13,010	110,352
Corresponding period of 1912	52,512	1,433	13,032	...	66,977
Increase	15,545	667	14,153	13,010	43,375
Decrease	...	...	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.	
	£	£	£	£	£		£
Total for the Week ...	83	925	112	...	1,120	For the Week	54
Total for current year ...	1,581	8,000	1,205	69	10,855	Total for current year ...	517
Corresponding period of 1912	1,365	5,628	454	1,522	8,969	Corresponding period of 1912...	529
Increase ...	216	2,372	751	...	1,886	Increase	—
Decrease ...	...	...	...	1,453	...	Decrease	... 12

Ebute Metta,
20th March 1913.

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Actg. Chief Accountant.

T. H. M. BONELL,
for General Manager

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239 Monthly Abstract Account of Cash Receipts and

No.	RECEIPTS.	In the month of November 1912.	From 1st April 1912 to 31st Oct. 1912	Total from 1st April 1912 to 30th Nov. 1912
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	Balance 1st April 1912	...	166,149 8 9	166,149 8 9
	Balance 1st November 1912 ...	85,336 0 0	...	...
1	Customs	3,038 18 8	21,469 5 1	24,508 3 9
2	Land Revenue	28,006 15 9	141,980 7 4	169,987 3 1
3	Licences and Internal Revenue ...	273 5 2	2,046 5 9	2,319 10 11
4	Fees of Court, Payments for Specific Services and Reimbursements in aid	678 5 6	2,886 8 4	3,564 13 10
5	Post Office and Telegraphs	2,088 0 8	2,468 10 6	4,556 11 2
6	Marine Services	1,404 19 9	8,605 16 6	10,010 16 3
7	Rents of Government Property ..	47 18 4	1,420 18 1	1,468 16 5
8	Mines	2,665 13 11	10,390 8 11	13,056 2 10
9	Miscellaneous Receipts	5 3 10	666 15 8	671 19 6
		38,209 1 7	191,934 16 2	230,143 17 9
10	Contribution from Southern Nigeria ...	...	52,500 0 0	52,500 0 0
	Total Local Revenue	38,209 1 7	244,434 16 2	282,643 17 9
11	Baro-Kano Railway Receipts ...	7,970 9 7	49,806 11 7	57,777 1 2
12	Bauchi Light Railway Receipts ...	1,181 4 1	12,569 17 5	13,751 1 6
	Total Local Revenue including Railway Receipts	47,360 15 3	306,811 5 2	354,172 0 5
13	Imperial Grant-in-aid	...	95,000 0 0	95,000 0 0
	Total Revenue	47,360 15 3	401,811 5 2	449,172 0 5
	Loan Account Southern Nigeria, Baro-Kano Railway Construction	...	37,000 0 0	37,000 0 0
	Loan Account Imperial Government, Bauchi Light Railway Construction	...	6,000 0 0	6,000 0 0
	Total including Loan Accounts ...	47,360 15 3	444,811 5 2	492,172 0 5
	Advances Repaid Baro-Kano Railway...	22,028 16 0	228,888 6 7	250,917 2 7
	Do. Bauchi Light Railway	...	21,737 12 8	21,737 12 8
	Do. Sundry	7,623 12 10	32,303 2 0	39,926 14 10
	Deposits, Sundry	9,657 1 11	96,322 13 7	105,979 15 6
	,, N. Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	7,298 7 10	26,716 18 9	34,015 6 7
	Drafts and Remittances	128,552 11 10	291,825 14 7	420,378 6 5
	Imprests	309 17 8	1,599 15 0	1,909 12 8
	Revenue Suspense Account	166 10 10	1,082 10 1	1,249 0 11
	Unallocated Stores Suspense Account P.W.D.	2,290 9 11	10,499 12 4	12,790 2 3
	Total Receipts	225,288 4 1	1,155,787 10 9	1,381,075 14 10
		...	...	...
	Total including balance ...	310,624 4 1	1,321,936 19 6	1,547,225 3 7

Treasury,
Zungeru, 29th March, 1913.

Payments from 1st April 1912 to 30th November 1912.

No.	PAYMENTS.	In the month of November 1912.	From 1st April 1912 to 31st Oct. 1912.	Total from 1st April 1912 to 30th Nov. 1912
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d
1	Pensions and Gratuities	389 19 4	4,310 7 8	4,700 7 0
2	Governor and Staff	372 4 3	2,009 8 9	2,381 13 0
3	Chief Secretary's Department ...	888 11 4	6,518 14 10	7,407 6 2
4	Provincial Administration	7,549 16 2	54,560 6 3	62,110 2 5
5	Treasury Department	550 5 4	4,333 1 2	4,883 6 6
6	Customs ,, ...	380 9 7	2,606 13 0	2,987 2 7
7	Audit ,, ...	337 13 10	2,254 14 5	2,592 8 3
8	Marine ,, ...	4,078 12 3	25,880 4 5	29,958 16 8
9	Legal ,, ...	330 8 4	1,524 8 9	1,854 17 1
10	Police ,, ...	2,244 9 2	16,810 9 2	19,054 18 4
11	Prisons ,, ...	671 3 10	6,673 0 11	7,344 4 9
12	Medical ,, ...	2,789 1 7	20,904 16 10	23,693 18 5
13	Sanitation ,, ...	272 5 6	1,428 19 8	1,701 5 2
14	Education ,, ...	145 10 9	1,146 7 9	1,291 18 6
15	Transport ,, ...	3,515 5 6	20,133 14 5	23,648 19 11
16	Military Expenditure	13,693 3 4	90,461 6 4	104,154 9 8
17	Miscellaneous Services	388 17 1	4,997 2 2	5,385 19 3
18	Post and Telegraph Department ...	1,941 5 6	14,004 14 9	15,946 0 3
19	Agricultural Department	252 6 3	1,146 4 6	1,398 10 9
20	Public Works Department	1,010 10 10	6,931 13 1	7,942 3 11
21	Public Works Recurrent	1,203 11 9	7,587 4 4	8,790 16 1
22	Mines Department	1,287 18 10	1,573 11 1	2,861 9 11
23	Cantonments	99 0 4	563 4 8	662 5 0
24	Land and Survey Department ...	194 4 8	899 10 3	1,093 14 11
	Total Ordinary & Recurrent Expenditure...	44,586 15 4	299,259 19 2	343,846 14 6
25	Public Works Extraordinary ...	3,684 19 8	12,626 4 10	16,311 4 6
26	Telegraphs Extraordinary	837 12 3	1,783 17 0	2,621 9 3
28	Native Affairs	86 4 3	56,808 16 2	56,895 0 5
		49,195 11 6	370,478 17 2	419,674 8 8
29	Baro-Kano Railway—(Open lines) ...	6,470 0 8	63,372 15 1	69,842 15 9
30	Bauchi Light Railway ,, ...	937 7 0	6,728 4 4	7,665 11 4
31	Interest on Railway Loans	...	38,069 15 7	38,069 15 7
	Total Expenditure ...	56,602 19 2	478,649 12 2	535,252 11 4
	B. K. Railway Construction Expenditure	...	45,721 11 4	45,721 11 4
	Bauchi Light R'way ,, ,, ...	...	21,537 12 8	21,537 12 8
	Total including R'ways ,, ,, ...	56,602 19 2	545,908 16 2	602,511 15 4
	Advances Baro-Kano Railway ...	...	182,534 17 7	182,534 17 7
	,, Bauchi Light Railway ...	...	6,242 0 5	6,242 0 5
	,, Sundry	2,127 14 6	33,471 11 6	35,599 6 0
	Repayment of Deposits, Sundry ...	10,227 9 6	105,069 6 11	115,296 16 5
	Repayment of Deposits Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	6,916 18 9	6,916 18 9
	Drafts and Remittances	102,204 18 11	314,929 10 0	417,134 8 11
	Imprests	288 3 2	2,049 0 8	2,337 3 10
	Revenue Suspense Account... ...	6 0 1	525 18 10	531 18 11
	Unallocated Stores Suspense Acct. P.W.D.	870 18 3	17,952 18 8	18,823 16 11
	Investments, Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	355 5 4	20,000 0 0	20,355 5 4
	Investments, Public Officers' Guarantee Fund	...	1,000 0 0	1,000 0 0
	Total Payments ...	172,683 8 11	1,236,600 19 6	1,409,284 8 5
	Balance 31st October 1912	...	85,336 0 0	...
	Balance 30th November 1912 ...	137,940 15 2	...	137,940 15 2
	Total including Balance ..	310,624 4 1	1,321,936 19 6	1,547,225 3 7

J. H. Bratt,
Treasurer.

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NOTE ON LANGUAGES IN CENTRAL PROVINCE.

THE Central Province includes the highest land in the Protectorate varying generally from 1,500 to 6,000 feet above sea level. The numerous isolated hills and hill ranges, have it seems probable formed refuges for successive generations of plain-dwelling aborigines from successive floods of invasion by mounted warriors, and from these refuges even when the tide had receded they were seldom able to descend except at the risk of their liberties or their lives. I do not know how else to account for the extraordinary diversity of the languages spoken in the Province. Though the structure of many of these languages would no doubt indicate to a philologist that their variations are strictly speaking dialectical and not fundamental, their differences are in practice sufficiently marked to form a complete bar to intelligent intercourse one with another.

In addition to these languages Filani, Hausa, and Kanuri are widely spoken in the Province. Hausa is spoken to a certain extent by all the tribes who were effectively controlled by the Bauchi Emirs, and it is generally possible to find even among the most inaccessible and hitherto unapproachable tribes some man (possibly a captive in former days) who has sufficient knowledge of Hausa to act as interpreter for concrete ideas of every day use.

I have attempted tentatively to divide the languages into groups in which some or many of the words present some similarity but these similarities are often very trifling and between group and group I can discern no trace of connexion. These groups are as follows :—

(*a.*) Includes Jarawa (Kanam and Duguri) Bankalawa (Bagel and Bununu) Gubawa (Guru,) Wurkunawa, Bomberawa, Jaku and may be called the Jarawa group. Gubawa is only spoken by dwellers on two small isolated hills close to Bauchi but is clearly allied to the Jarawa language.

The' "Wurkum" language given is probably only one of many dialects spoken by the people who are known collectively as "Wurkums."

(*b.*) The Seyawa group, includes the language of the Seyawa, and Burrumawa, Barmawa, or Mbarmi, (Zul), Baramawa (Baram,) Gezawa (Geji,) Buli, Sigidawa, Kopti, Jimi, Gurumtumawa and (doubtfully) Beyawa.

(*c.*) The Angass group includes Sura, Angass and Ankwei near Yelwa. The latter (Ankwei) is not actually spoken within Bauchi Province but at the Southern foot of the Murchison Hills. Its evidently close connexion with the language spoken by the hill-dwelling Angass is worth noting and bears out the statement made by Captain Ruxton in his paper on the Tribes of the Muri Province in the Journal of the African Society for July 1908, (*p.* 385.)

(*d.*) Pyem and Gyemawa may perhaps be connected though the only obvious similarities appear in some of the numerals.

(*e.*) Sirawa (Siri Babba) Apawa, Wurjawa, Rebinawa, Butawa spoken in the N. W. portion of the Province show traces of connection.

(*f.*) The Gerawa or Bolewa group is remarkable for the resemblance of much of the vocabularies to Hausa. It includes Bolewa Western branch (Kerifi,) Denawa, Galambawa, Gerawa, Gerumawa, Kubawa, Kerre-Kerre, Burrumawa the connexion between which is clear, though most of them appear entitled to rank as distinct languages in the popular sense at any rate and not merely as local dialects. Two varieties of the Bolewa tongue are given-one spoken by the Western branch near Bauchi the other by the Eastern branch in the neighbourhood of Nafada.

(*g.*) The Naraguta group includes Naraguta, Buji and Gurum, Jere, Taurawa, and may be related to group *e.*

(*h.*) The Kibyen, Kwoll, Rukuba, and Jos languages though spoken in neighbouring districts do not seem to be actually connected.

(*i.*) The Jukum language is spoken within the Central Province only at Gwana, the last surviving relic of the extension of the Jukum power to the North of the Benue valley.

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THE following list of plants in common use with their Hausa, Botanical, and English names, is published for general information.

Hausa.	*Botanical.*	*English.*
Giginia	Borassus flabellifer	Borassus palm
Dabino	Phœnix datylifera	Date palm
Merke	Anogeissus leiocarpus	—
Kurna	Zizyphus Spina-Christi	—
Kanya	Diospyros Mespiliformis	African Ebony tree
Rimi	Eriodendron Orientale	Silk cotton tree
Durumi	Ficus Syringifolia	—
Shedia	„ utilissima	Bark cloth tree
Yandi	„ Sp (?)	—
Kawori	„ Sp (?)	—
Kadeinya	Butyrospermum Parkii	Shea tree
Tsamia	Tamarindus indica	Tamarind
Kuka	Adansonia digitata	Baobab
Dawa	Sorghum vulgare	Guinea corn
Gero	Pennisetum typhoideum	Bulrush millet
Maiwa	„ „ (var)	„ „
Dankali	Ipomoea Batatas	Sweet potato
Rogo	Manihot utilissima	Cassava
Geda	Arachis hypogea	Ground nut
Wake	Vigna Catjang	Cow pea
Alkama	Triticum compositum	Wheat
Taba	Nicotiana tabacum	Tobacco

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OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 15TH APRIL 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 9th April :—

Miss Amos, Nurse, Medical, Lieuts. G. H. C. Palmer, C. L. Waters, Major J. B. Orr, D.S.O. and Colour Sergeant. F. W. Dean, N. N. R., Messrs E. Lloyd Williams, Executive Engineer, J. Bothwell, Inspector of Works, and R. J. Gregg, Fitter, P. W. D., Messrs H. Bovill, and W. E. Slingsby, Asst. Residents, Dr. B. J. Courtney, Medical Officer, Mr. E. A. Langslow-Cock, Government Inspector of Mines.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 9th April:—

Nil.

LAGOS, 10th April :—

Dr. B. A. Percival, Medical Officer, Messrs W. D. K. Mair and P. R. Diggle, Asst. Residents. Mr. A. H. Hodges, Asst. Treasurer.

LAGOS 11th April. (Woermann Line) :—

Dr. M. C. Blair, Senior Sanitary Officer, Capt. C. F. S. Maclaverty and Lieut. C. M. H. Venour, N. N. R.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 11th April :—

Capt. D. A. Wallbach, Chief Transport Officer, Capt. P. Lonsdale, 3rd Class Resident, Lieut. J. Bremner, N. N. R., Dr. H. G. McKinney, Medical Officer.

BURUTU, 12th April :—

Lieut. M. E. Fell, N. N. R.

POSTINGS :—Bovill Kano, Slingsby Bornu.

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OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 21ST APRIL, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 16th March :—

Capt. J. M. Benson, Medical Officer, Lieut. B. Edwards, N. N. R., Mr. E. C. Duff, and Captain George Anderson, 2nd Class Residents, Mr. T. A. G. Budgen, Assistant Resident, Capt. W. M. Fowler, Commissioner of Police, Mr. G. F. Mason, District Supdt. of Post and Telegraphs.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 16th April :—

Messrs A. C. Ackland, and S. H. P. Vereker, Assistant Residents, Mr. B. D. Byfield, 3rd Class Resident, Captain H. H. Shott, D.S.O., and O.R. Sergt. S. J. Cole, N.N.R., Mr. G. P. Lewis, District Superintendent of Post and Telegraphs.

LAGOS 17th April :—

Captain C. R. U. Savile, and Lieut. J. W. E. Boulderson, N.N.R., Mr. J. S. Brown, District Engineer, P, W. D., Dr. W. Morrison, Medical Officer.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 13th April :—

(Woerman Line.)

Major J. F. N. Price, Commissioner of Police.

LAGOS 18th April :—

Mr. A. S. Collard Chief Surveyor, Captain N. K. Street, Sergt. V. S. Newberry, N.N.R., Sergts. R. E. Harvey, P. McConn, M. Stroud, and M. K. Quinlan, Sergts Medical.

BURUTU 19th April :—

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THE subjoined Scheme and Draft Ordinance now under consideration for granting of pensions to Widow's and Children of deceased European Public Officers in the West African Service are published for general information.

AFRICAN (WEST) No. 997.

PENSION SCHEME for Widows and Orphans of European Officers serving in the West African Colonies and Protectorates.

III.—*Outline of the Scheme.*

1. The scheme is common to all the British West African Colonies and Protectorates. Subject to the exceptions mentioned in the next paragraph, every European Officer appointed permanently or temporarily to a post in the Colonial service in West Africa after the scheme is brought into operation will be required to contribute in accordance with the scheme. Officers who are already in the West African service when the schemes comes into operation will, if eligible to contribute, be allowed to elect within six months whether they will become contributors or not. If an officer elects not to contribute and is re-engaged subsequently to the date when the scheme comes into operation, he will be required to become a contributor from the date of his re-engagement.

2. The following are not eligible to be contributors:—

(*a*) Governors and their Private Secretaries and Aides-de-Camp, if not contributors before they held these positions.

(*b*) Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, and men on the active list of the Navy or of the Regular Army temporarily employed by a West African Government in either a military or a civil capacity.

(*c*) Officers temporarily employed on special missions.

(*d*) Females.

European Officers who are contributing to a Widow's and Orphan's Pension Scheme established by Government in a British Colony or Protectorate outside West Africa shall not be required to become contributors under this scheme.

3. The scheme will be managed for the West African Governments by the Crown Agents for the Colonies. The Crown Agents will deduct the contributions from the salaries of contributors when they are on leave or when their salaries are

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paid in whole or in part through the Crown Agent. When a contributor's salary is not paid through the Crown Agents, his contributions will be deducted from his salary by the Colonial Government. If a contributor is on leave on half salary, or under interdiction, or on leave without salary, he will still be liable to contribute at the ordinary rate. In the last mentioned case, if the officer does not himself pay to the Colonial Government or to the Crown Agents his contributions during the period when he was on leave without salary, the amount of the contributions in arrear will be deducted from the first payment of salary subsequent to such leave.

4. The Crown Agents will keep the registers of officers and their contributions and calculate the prospective pensions of widows and orphans. The pensions when granted will be paid by the Crown Agents monthly in arrear.

5. The rates of contributions will be as follows: An officer the maximum of whose scale of salary (or whose actual salary if he is not on an incremental scale) exceeds the amount given in any line of the first column below but does not exceed that given in the corresponding line of the second, shall contribute at the annual rate given in the corresponding line of the third column

Column 1.	Column 2.	Column 3.
£	£	£
—	275	12
275	300	15
300	400	18
400	500	24
500	600	30
600	700	35
700	800	40

and so on, the annual contribution increasing by £5 for each step of £100 in the salary scale. Provided that no officer shall be required to contribute at a higher than £60 a year, nor shall any officer be allowed to contribute at a higher rate than £100 a year.

6. For the purpose of fixing the rate of contribution no regard shall be had to any personal, duty, or acting allowance, nor to any other receipts, emoluments or advantages of any kind which the officer may receive or enjoy; but the contribution shall be assessed with regard only to the amount of the salary of the definite post held by the officer without previous deduction of the amount of his contributions.

7.—(i) Every contributor shall within three months of his becoming a contributor notify to the Crown Agents for the Colonies in writing:—

(*a*) the date of his birth, and,

(*b*) if he is a married man, the dates of his marriage and of the births of his wife and children (if any.)

(ii) Every contributor who marries while a contributor shall, within three months after his marriage, notify the same to the Crown Agents in writing and state the date of the birth of his wife.

(iii) Every contributor shall notify to the Crown Agents in writing within three months from the date of the event:—

(*a*) the birth of any child born to him;

(*b*) the marriage of any female child under the age of 21;

(*c*) the death of his wife or of any of his children of a pensionable age.

(iv) After the death of any married contributor, the widow of such contributor shall notify to the Crown Agents in writing within 3 months from the date of the event:—

(*a*) the date of the death of the contributor, if he was not at the time in the West African service,

(*b*) the birth of any posthumous child born to such contributor,

(*c*) the marriage of any female child of such contributor under the age of 21 years,

(*d*) the death of any child of such contributor under the age of 18 years if a male or under the age of 21 years if a female.

(v) Any such statement or notice shall be proved by the production of birth, death, or marriage certificates or by affidavit or otherwise, to the satisfaction of the Crown Agents for the Colonies.

8. A contributor or widow who fails or neglects to comply with any of the requirements of the foregoing paragraph shall, for each default, pay a fine not exceeding £2, which may be deducted from his or her salary or pension as the case may be. A contributor or widow who wilfully makes any false statement respecting any of the particulars required to be furnished under the scheme shall be liable to forfeit, at the discretion of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, all or any part of his or her rights under the scheme.

9. Contributions will be payable in monthly instalments for an exact number of years, the period of payment terminating after the 49th and before the 50th birthday. Thus, if a contributor born in January, 1883, began to contribute in June, 1913, he would pay for 19 years, making his last monthly payment in May, 1932, should he live so long.

10. On the death of a married contributor, a pension dating from the day after her husband's death will be payable to his widow by monthly instalments (or quarterly if preferred) throughout her life or until her re-marriage or bankruptcy. Should the widow die leaving children of the marriage, if males under the age of 18 years, and if females under the age of 21 and unmarried, the pension which she has been receiving will be continued to them in equal shares until the males attain 18 years of age and until the females shall attain 21 or marry. Upon the happening of any of these events, or on death before their happening, the pension yayable to the child concerned will pass to the surviving qualified children in equal shares as long as any remain, lapsing and ceasing when none such remain. If there be no children, the entire pension will lapse and cease on the death of the widow.

11. Should a contributor having been once married only die a widower leaving children, the pension which would otherwise have been payable to his widow will be divided among the children in accordance with the above regulations. In any case, if there be only one child qualified under the above regulations the whole pension will be payable to that child, subject to the regulations aforesaid.

12. When a contributor dies leaving a widow, and also children of a previous marriage who would under the above regulations be entitled to pensions, the said children will only be entitled among them to half the pension to which their mother would have been entitled had she survived her husband, and the widow to one half only of the pension (and remainder as above provided to her own issue by the marriage, if any) to which she would have been entitled had there been no such children; but when such children cease to be entitled then the widow will be entitled to her full pension. If such widow dies, remarries, or otherwise ceases to be entitled to a pension, and leaves no lawful children of the marriage with her deceased husband who are eligible for pension, the children of the previous marriage will thereupon be entitled to pension as if their father had not married a second time.

13. Should a contributor at his death, either as a widower or with a widow surviving, leave children of more than one marriage qualified for pension, the same principle shall be followed. Calling for the purpose of this explanation the surviving widow (if any) and each set of children qualified for pension "a beneficiary," then each beneficiary will take such a proportion of the pension to which, if the only beneficiary, it would have been entitled, as unity bears to the total number of beneficiaries; and on lapse of the share of any beneficiary the benefits of the others will be proportionately increased.

14. Re-marriage of a widow, whether she have children or not, cancels the pension and all benefits of every kind so far as she is herself concerned.

15. The benefits shall apply only to widows whom the contributors have married before the termination of their West African service or the attainment of the age of 55, whichever of these events shall first happen, and to the issue of such marriages.

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No widow whose husband dies within twelve months of the marriage without issue of such marriage shall be entitled to a pension, except with the approval of the Governor of the West African Colony or Protectorate in which the contributor last served.

16. All pensions shall be inalienable and shall cease on the bankruptcy of the widow, but in the latter case an allowance not greater than the amount of the pension may as an act of grace be paid to, or for the maintenance of, the widow if she has no children eligible for the pension.

17. The Crown Agents may require such proof as they deem desirable that any widow or child claiming to be entitled to pension, or on behalf of whom such claim is made, is alive and entitled to pension.

18. Increases of contributions shall rank for benefit on the scale of the Pension Tables as if they were fresh entrances at the respective ages of husband and wife when the increase takes place.

If the salary of a contributor be reduced so that he comes under a lower scale of contribution under paragraph 5 above, he may at his option continue his contributions on the former scale and rank for benefit accordingly, but if his contribution be reduced the benefit shall be reduced in the same proportion in which it would have been increased had his contribution been raised instead of lowered.

19. If a contributor dies while in the West African service being a bachelor, or a widower without children qualified for pension, there shall be returnable to his legal representatives in the first case one half of his total contributions without interest, and in the 2nd case one half [without interest] of the contributions which the has paid since the death of his last wife or the ceasing to be qualified for pension of his last child, whichever event shall have last happened.

20. A contributor who while a bachelor or a widower without children qualified for pension, leaves the West African service, shall cease to be entitled to contribute to the scheme or rank for its benefits; but, unless retired for misconduct, he shall be entitled to the same return as that to which his legal representative would have been entitled in the case of his death.

21. If a contributor who is married or who is a widower with children eligible for pension retires from the West African service on pension, or if he is transferred to other service under the Crown, or leaves the service for any reason other than misconduct before his contribution term has expired, and his service is of such a nature and of such length as would have rendered him elegible for a pension if he had been retired from the West African service on medical certificate, he may continue to contribute at the rate at which he was contributing immediately before his retirement or transfer, in which case if he is a pensioner his contributions will be deducted from his pension. Or, he may on or at any time after, retirement or transfer elect to cease to contribute. If he so ceases to contribute, he will rank for a benefit reduced so as to correspond with the payments he has made; or, if in the meantime his wife has died or been divorced or his children have ceased to be eligible for pension, he will cease to be entitled to rank for benefit.

22. In the case of a contributor who is married or who is a widower with children eligible for pension, and whose service is not of such a nature or is not of such length as would render him eligible for a pension if retired on medical certificate, the pension to be granted to his widow or orphan children if he dies while a contributor shall be at the rate of four-fifths of the amount given by the Pension Tables: and pension at the same rate may be granted if such an officer, having left the West African service for any reason other than misconduct, dies within a period dating from the day of his retirement or transfer and equal to one-third of the number of complete months during which he contributed.

An officer whose case falls under this paragraph shall not be eligible to continue to contribute of he has left the West African service.

23. The Pension Tables are calculated on the basis of 6 per cent. compound interest on the balance between receipts and expenditure, and are so framed as not to include any allowance for cost of administration, which will be borne by the West African Governments.

24. The Pension Tables may be revised from time to time after an actuarial investigation. Such investigations shall take place at such dates as the Secretary of State may from time to time determine, being not less than ten years from the date when the scheme first came into operation or from the date of the last investigation. If after such an investigation it is decided by the Secretary of State that revised Pension Tables should be adopted, these will come into force on a date which will be notified and will apply to all cases where pensions had not become payable before that date; but all pensions which become payable before that date shall be unaffected by the new Tables.

25. The word "contributor" (except where the context otherwise requires as *e.g.* in paragraphs 3, 18, and 21) includes all those whose contributions are fully paid as well as those whose contribution period has not expired.

26. The words "monthly" and "month" refer to calendar months throughout.

II. *Pension Tables*

TABLE A.

The yearly pension, payable by monthly instalments, which a single payment of 1 will secure.

Age of Husband last Birthday.	Age of Wife last Birthday.									
	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65
23	·323	·341	·364	·393	·430	·479	·545	·634	·744	·892
24	·317	·334	·357	·385	·422	·470	·535	·622	·731	·876
25	·310	·327	·349	·376	·412	·459	·523	·608	·716	·853
26	·303	·320	·341	·368	·403	·449	·511	·595	·701	·839
27	·296	·313	·334	·360	·394	·439	·500	·583	·686	·822
28	·290	·306	·326	·352	·385	·430	·490	·570	·673	·805
29	·284	·300	·319	·345	·378	·421	·481	·558	·660	·792
30	·278	·293	·312	·337	·369	·412	·470	·547	·647	·779
31	·272	·286	·305	·331	·361	·404	·461	·539	·634	·764
32	·266	·280	·299	·324	·354	·395	·452	·528	·622	·751
33	·261	·274	·293	·318	·347	·387	·443	·516	·611	·739
34	·255	·268	·286	·309	·340	·379	·434	·506	·599	·724
35	·250	·263	·279	·302	·332	·370	·424	·496	·587	·711
36	·244	·257	·273	·295	·325	·362	·415	·486	·576	·698
37	·239	·252	·268	·289	·318	·356	·407	·478	·567	·688
38	·234	·247	·262	·283	·312	·350	·400	·470	·560	·679
39	·230	·242	·257	·277	·304	·343	·393	·462	·551	·669
40	·225	·237	·252	·271	·298	·335	·385	·453	·541	·659
41	·220	·232	·247	·265	·292	·328	·377	·444	·532	·649
42	·216	·227	·241	·259	·285	·322	·370	·436	·524	·641
43	·211	·222	·236	·254	·279	·314	·364	·429	·517	·635
44	·207	·217	·231	·249	·273	·307	·357	·421	·508	·627
45	·203	·213	·227	·244	·267	·300	·350	·413	·500	·623
46	·199	·209	·223	·240	·263	·295	·345	·408	·494	·617
47	·196	·206	·219	·236	·258	·291	·340	·406	·492	·616
48	·194	·203	·216	·233	·254	·287	·335	·405	·491	·615
49	·190	·200	·213	·230	·252	·284	·331	·404	·490	·614

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TABLE B.

The yearly pension, payable by monthly instalments, which a yearly contribution of 1 payable by monthly instalments will secure.

23	3·745	3·956	4·228	4·558	4·986	5·553	6·321	7·347	8·928	10·340
24	3·812	3·815	4·078	4·396	4·811	5·357	6·101	7·093	8·539	9·998
25	3·730	3·958	3·962	4·256	4·657	5·153	5·869	6·823	8·233	9·674
26	3·514	3·662	3·919	4·225	4·624	4·948	5·610	6·552	7·723	9·247
27	3·525	3·533	3·762	4·059	4·457	4·749	5·409	6·301	7·418	8·868
28	3·390	3·391	3·608	3·891	4·268	4·551	5·187	6·041	7·119	8·531
29	3·264	3·256	3·449	3·729	4·079	4·354	4·963	5·781	6·820	8·188
30	3·034	3·104	3·298	3·569	3·904	4·164	4·748	5·532	6·530	7·869
31	2·975	2·956	3·151	3·405	3·730	3·972	4·535	5·274	6·239	7·518
32	2·847	2·804	2·982	3·228	3·536	3·769	4·299	4·987	5·904	7·118
33	2·718	2·644	2·812	3·050	3·339	3·561	4·064	4·717	5·584	6·732
34	2·586	2·507	2·662	2·866	3·144	3·354	3·828	4·443	5·264	6·347
35	2·456	2·369	2·513	2·705	2·966	3·161	3·608	4·189	4·966	5·991
36	2·324	2·230	2·363	2·545	2·790	2·975	3·396	3·944	4·677	5·646
37	2·191	2·091	2·214	2·384	2·615	2·788	3·184	3·699	4·390	5·300
38	2·060	1·956	1·969	2·126	2·337	2·494	2·849	3·311	3·931	4·748
39	1·928	1·713	1·820	1·962	2·154	2·299	2·625	3·050	3·622	4·374
40	1·799	1·569	1·667	1·795	1·971	2·103	2·402	2·792	3·317	4·007
41	1·669	1·424	1·513	1·629	1·785	1·911	2·183	2·537	3·014	3·643
42	1·540	1·279	1·358	1·461	1·600	1·708	1·952	2·268	2·695	3·256
43	1·412	1·134	1·203	1·294	1·416	1·506	1·721	2·000	2·376	2·870
44	1·285	1·000	1·060	1·140	1·248	1·326	1·515	1·760	2·091	2·526
45	1·160	0·867	0·919	0·988	1·080	1·147	1·309	1·520	1·805	2·179
46	1·037	0·736	0·780	0·838	0·915	0·971	1·107	1·284	1·523	1·837
47	0·917	0·607	0·643	0·690	0·752	0·797	0·906	1·050	1·244	1·499
48	0·800	0·480	0·507	0·542	0·589	0·623	0·707	0·817	0·966	1·162
49	0·686	0·357	0·374	0·397	0·429	0·452	0·511	0·589	0·694	0·833

TABLE C.

The single payment which will secure a pension of 1, payable by monthly instalments.

Age of Husband last Birthday.	Age of Wife last Birthday.									
	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65
23	3·094	2·930	2·744	2·544	2·324	2·087	1·834	1·578	1·343	1·121
24	3·139	2·980	2·799	2·595	2·371	2·130	1·870	1·609	1·368	1·142
25	3·230	3·058	2·862	2·656	2·427	2·177	1·912	1·644	1·397	1·172
26	3·304	3·128	2·930	2·718	2·484	2·227	1·955	1·682	1·427	1·192
27	3·380	3·197	2·996	3·778	2·539	2·278	1·998	1·719	1·461	1·216
28	3·453	3·270	3·068	2·857	2·594	2·325	2·040	1·755	1·490	1·240
29	3·529	3·338	3·139	2·908	2·648	2·372	2·081	1·793	1·515	1·262
30	3·597	3·417	3·205	2·966	2·708	2·428	2·127	1·829	1·547	1·286
31	3·678	3·494	3·278	3·035	2·766	2·477	2·170	1·866	1·577	1·309
32	3·757	3·565	3·343	3·091	2·820	2·522	2·213	1·901	1·607	1·331
33	3·834	3·644	3·419	3·164	2·880	2·582	2·257	1·937	1·631	1·354
34	3·918	3·723	3·497	3·240	2·944	2·640	2·307	1·977	1·670	1·380
35	4·003	3·804	3·578	3·314	3·011	2·705	2·359	2·018	1·704	1·407
36	4·090	3·886	3·656	3·386	3·079	2·758	2·409	2·056	1·735	1·433
37	4·177	3·968	3·734	3·454	3·140	2·811	2·454	2·092	1·763	1·452
38	4·264	4·044	3·811	3·529	3·211	2·869	2·497	2·126	1·788	1·473
39	4·352	4·130	3·888	3·605	3·285	2·916	2·545	2·169	1·815	1·494
40	4·443	4·215	3·968	3·686	3·356	2·984	2·598	2·211	1·849	1·518
41	4·537	4·300	4·053	3·768	3·429	3·044	2·652	2·255	1·878	1·547
42	4·632	4·405	4·149	3·855	3·503	3·110	2·703	2·298	1·909	1·561
43	4·733	4·501	4·254	3·938	3·592	3·186	2·747	2·331	1·934	1·576
44	4·832	4·598	4·319	4·024	3·664	3·260	2·800	2·374	1·967	1·596
45	4·934	4·690	4·403	4·096	3·743	3·330	2·856	2·419	2·002	1·614
46	5·012	4·778	4·485	4·171	3·813	3·398	2·901	2·461	2·035	1·629
47	5·089	4·853	4·565	4·241	3·874	3·451	2·938	2·492	2·053	1·624
48	5·157	4·923	4·632	4·297	3·927	3·491	2·963	2·509	2·057	1·627
49	5·258	4·987	4·700	4·343	3·969	3·524	3·020	2·476	2·039	1·629

TABLE D.

Showing the pension, payable by monthly instalments during the life of the wife should she survive her husband, which an annual payment of 1 made throughout the specified number of years should the husband so long live, will secure at the relative ages of husband and wife specified below. The said annual payment of 1 to be made by monthly instalments. (At the date of husband's retirement from service, should that not coincide with the termination of an exact number of years since payments began, the remaining monthly instalments to make up the next integral number of years should be paid down.)

Payments to continue during	Husband's age last birthday 50.							
	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65
1 year	·210	·228	·250	·281	·330	·402	·484	·632
2 years	·297	·322	·353	·396	·464	·568	·697	·903
3 years	·411	·511	·559	·629	·737	·902	1·107	1·418
4 years	·530	·683	·748	·841	·985	1·206	1·480	1·896
5 years	·775	·840	·930	1·034	1·211	1·483	1·820	2·331
	Husband's age last birthday 51.							
1 year	·206	·225	·246	·278	·328	·402	·490	·644
2 years	·291	·318	·350	·393	·464	·568	·704	·909
3 years	·406	·504	·553	·624	·734	·902	1·117	1·441
4 years	·523	·674	·742	·834	·981	1·206	1·492	1·926
	Husband's age last birthday 52.							
1 year	·207	·224	·246	·278	·328	·405	·512	·668
2 years	·292	·315	·347	·391	·464	·573	·720	·930
3 years	·463	·501	·551	·621	·732	·912	1·143	1·481
	Husband's age last birthday 53.							
year	·205	·222	·245	·277	·328	·406	·536	·695
2 years	·290	·313	·346	·390	·463	·574	·742	·961
	Husband's age last birthday 54.							
1 year	·204	·220	·244	·276	·327	·408	·537	·718

III.—*Instructions for the use of the Tables.**

The wife's age in all the Tables is given at quinquennial intervals only. For intermediate ages interpolate between these values by exact fifths. Ages younger than the youngest or older than the oldest given are to be dealt with as if identical with the youngest and oldest respectively (20 and 65).

The first problem is to determine the prospective pension of the wife of a contributor who began to contribute as a bachelor or a widower without children eligible for pension.

I. The first wife (*i.e.* the first wife married after the husband became a contributor).

Here a double process is necessary.

(1.) The contributions paid prior to the marriage must be accumulated at 6 per cent. per annum compound interest with yearly rests, and the total thus found multiplied by the pension given in Table A for the ages last birthday of husband and wife at the date of marriage.

(2) The pension given in Table B for those ages must be multiplied by the husband's annual contribution to the Fund at the date of the marriage. The sum of the results of these two operations is the required pension.

Should the marriage take place after the husband is aged 50, while he is under 55 and still in the service, his age for the purpose of the above calculation is to be taken as 49 last birthday.

II. Subsequent marriages.

Should the contributor become a widower during his contribution period, and remarry while under 55 and still in the service, the registered pension at the date of the remarriage is to be multiplied by the amount in Table C corresponding to his age last birthday at the date and the age last birthday which his previous wife would have attained had she been still surviving, and the result is to be multiplied by the amount in Table A corresponding to the ages last birthday of husband and subsequent wife at the date of their marriage. Should the husband be aged 50, or over, his age for the purpose of the above calculation is to be taken as 49 last birthday.

III. Registered pensions in the case of widowers whose wives have died since the husband became contributors.

* In the case of contributors who fall under para. 22 the pension given by the Pension Tables and these Instructions must be multiplied by four fifths

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These are ascertained by supposing the deceased wife to be still surviving, and entering Table B with the ages last birthday of husband and wife on that assumption. These figures are only required in the case of subsequent marriages, to make the calculations described above, in instruction II.

IV. Contributor beginning to contribute while married.

The prospective pension in this case is found by entry of Table B with the ages last birthday of husband and wife when contributions commence, and multiplication of the result by the amount of the yearly contribution.

V. Contributor beginning to contribute while a widower, with children eligible for pension.

So long as he continues to have children eligible for pension, a pension must be registered on their behalf by assuming that the deceased wife lived until the beginning of the contribution period and died immediately thereafter. This involves entry of Table B at the ages last birthday of husband at the date of commencement of contribution and wife at the same date on the above assumption, and multiplication of result by the amount of the yearly contribution at the date. The pension so registered, should any of the said children still be eligible for pension at the contributor's death, is to be taken into account and dealt with, should there be a wife surviving, in accordance with the provisions set forth in section 3 and 4 of the "Outline of the Proposed Pension System."

VI. Increments or decrements of prospective pension.

As the contributions will vary as the salary varies during the service, it is therefore necessary to calculate these increments or decrements. (The decrement, as will be seen from paragraph 18 of the "Outline" above referred to, is optional—a contributor having the right if he so elect to maintain his contributions at their former level; but it is none the less of course necessary to have a rule for calculating these decrements should they be accepted).

During marriage the necessary increment or decrement of pension will be found by entering Table B at the ages last birthday of husband and wife at the date of the alteration and multiplying the figure so obtained by the yearly increment or decrement in question. During widowerhood the same process must be followed, the wife's age being taken as that which the last wife would have attained last birthday had she survived to the date of the alteration.

Should the husband's age on the occasion of an increment be 50 or over, Table D is to be used instead of Table B

DRAFT.

AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE PROVISION FOR GRANTING PENSIONS TO WIDOWS AND CHILDREN OF DECEASED EUROPEAN PUBLIC OFFICERS.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the granting of pensions to the widows and children of European officers employed in the service of the Government of this Colony, AND WHEREAS it is expedient that there should be established for this purpose a scheme common to all the British Colonies and Protectorates in West Africa and that it should be managed on behalf of the Governments of those Colonies and Protectorates by the Crown Agents for the Colonies.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED ETC.

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Widow's and Orphan's Pension Ordinance 19 " and shall come into operation on the day of , which date is hereinafter referred to as the commencement of this Ordinance.

Interpretation.

2. (1) In this Ordinance, if not inconsistent with the context, the following expressions have the meanings hereinafter respectively assigned to them viz:—

"This Government" means the Government of

"European Officer" means any officer both of whose parents were of European descent but includes also any other officer who is appointed under the conditions of service ordinarily applicable to Europeans.

"West African Service" means the service of the Government of any one or more of the following:—

The Protectorate of Northern Nigeria, the Colony and Protectorate of Southern Nigeria, the Colony of the Gold Coast together with Ashanti and the Northern Territories, the Colony and Protectorate of Sierra

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Leone, and the Colony and Protectorate of Gambia; which Governments are referred to as "West African Governments."

"Crown Agents" means the Crown Agents for the Colonies.

"The Secretary of State" means one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

"Of a pensionable age" as applied to children means, in the case of a male, that he is under the age of eighteen years, and, in the case of a female, that she is under the age of twenty-one years and has not been married. A child shall be deemed to cease to be of a pensionable age within the meaning of this Ordinance if a male on attaining the age of eighteen years or dying under that age, and if a female, on attaining the age of twenty-one years or dying or marrying under that age.

"Contributor" includes a person all of whose contributions are fully paid.

"Beneficiary" means and includes

(*a*) The widow of a contributor.

(*b*) The children of a contributor, by his marriage with any wife dying in his lifetime, who are alive and of pensionable age at the death of their father.

The words "monthly" and "month" refer to calendar months.

(2) When the marriage of any contributor has been annulled or dissolved by the decree of any competent court the wife party to such marriage shall for all purposes of this Ordinance be deemed to have died and the contributor to have become a widower at the date of such decree.

Who shall become contributors.

3. (1) Subject to the exceptions mentioned in the next section, every European officer appointed permanently or temporarily to a post in the West African Service after the commencement of this Ordinance shall become a contributor under the provisions of this Ordinance from the date on which he commences to draw any of the salary of the post.

(2) Subject to the same exceptions every European Officer who is in the West African Service at the commencement of this Ordinance may within six months after the commencement of this Ordinance by written notice to the Crown Agents elect, to become a contributor; and, if he so elects, he shall contribute as from the first day of the month next after that in which his notice was received by the Crown Agents.

(3) If an European Officer who is in the West African Service at the commencement of this Ordinance does not elect to contribute and is re-engaged or re-appointed to the West African Service subsequently to the commencement of this Ordinance, he shall for the purpose of this Ordinance, be deemed to be appointed to the West African Service on the date of such re-engagement or re-appointment.

Who shall not become contributors.

4. (1) The following shall not be elegible to be contributors:—

(*a*) Governors and their Private Secretaries and Aides-de-Camp, if not contributors before they held these positions.

(*b*) Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men on the active list of the Navy or of the Regular Army temporarily employed by a West African Government in either a military or a civil capacity.

(*c*) Persons temporarily employed on special missions.

(*d*) Females.

Who may but need not become contribution.

(2) No officer shall be required to become a contributor under this Ordinance if, and for so long as, he is contributing to a Widows' and Orphans' Pension Scheme for Government officers established in a British Colony or Protectorate outside West Africa.

Rates of contribution.

5. The rates of contribution shall be as follows:—

An officer the maximum of whose scale of salary (or whose actual salary if he is not on an incremental scale) exceeds the amount given in any line of the first column below but does not exceed that given in the correspond-

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ing line of the second, shall contribute at the annual rate given in the corresponding line of the third column:—

Column 1.	Column 2.	Column 3.
	£275	£12
£275	£300	£15
£300	£400	£18
£400	£500	£24
£500	£600	£30
£600	£700	£35
£700	£800	£40

and so on, the annual contribution increasing by £5 for each step of £100 in the salary scale. Provided that no officer shall be required to contribute at a higher rate than £60 a year, nor shall any officer be allowed to contribute at a higher rate than £100 a year.

Salary only to determine rates of contribution.

6. For the purpose of fixing the rate of contribution, no regard shall be had to any personal duty, or acting allowance, nor to any other receipts, emoluments or advantages of any kind which the officer may receive or enjoy; but the contribution shall be assessed with regard only to the amount of the salary of the definite post held by the officer without previous deduction of the amount of his contributions.

Period and manner of contribution.

7. Contributions shal be payable in monthly instalments for an exact number of years, the period of payment terminating after the 49th and before the 50th birthday of the contributor. The Crown Agents shall deduct the contributions from the salaries of contributors when they are on leave or when their salaries are paid in whole or in part through the Crown Agents. When a contributor's salary is not paid through the Crown Agents his contributions shall be deducted from his salary by the Government. If a contributor is on leave on half salary or under interdiction or on leave without salary, he shall still be liable to contribute at the ordinary rate. In the last mentioned case, if the contributor does not himself pay to the Government

or to the Crown Agents his contributions during the period when he was on leave without salary, the amount of his contributions in arrear shall be deducted from the first payment of salary subsequent to such leave.

How contributions shall be brought to account.

8. All contributions shall be paid into, or credited by the Crown Agents to, the Treasury of the Colony or Protectorate in which the contributor is serving at the time. If during any period the contributor has been in the service of two or more West African Governments, his contributions shall be divided among those Governments in the same proportions as his salary for the same period was paid by them.

Registers of contributors to be kept.

9. Registers shall be kept by the Crown Agents in which shall be entered the date of the birth of every contributor and, if he be married, the dates of the births of his wife and children (if any), particulars of his contributions and all other dates and particulars respecting contributors and their families material to be recorded for the purposes of this Ordinance.

Information to be furnished by contributors.

10. (1) Every contributor shall within three months of his becoming a contributor notify to the Crown Agents in writing:—

(*a*) the date of his birth and

(*b*) if he is a married man, the dates of his marriage and the births of his wife and children (if any).

(2) Every contributor who marries while a contributor shall within 3 months after his marriage notify the same to the Crown Agents in writing and state the date of the birth of his wife.

(3) Every contributor shall notify to the Crown Agents in writing within 3 months from the date of the event:—

(*a*) the birth of any child born to him:

(*b*) the marriage of any female child under the age of 21.

(*c*) the death of his wife or of any of his children of a pensionable age.

Information to be furnished by widows.

(4) After the death of any married contributor, the the widow of such contributor shall notify to the Crown Agents in writing within 3 months from the date of the event:—

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(*a*) the date of the death of the contributor, if he was not at the time in the West African service,

(*b*) the birth of any posthumous child born to such contributor,

(*c*) the marriage of any female child of such contributor under the age of 21 years.

(*d*) the death of any child of such contributor while of a pensionable age.

Proof of statements.

(5) Any such statement or notice shall be proved by the production of birth, death, or marriage certificates or by affidavit or otherwise, to the satisfaction of the Crown Agents.

Penalty for non-compliance.

11. (1) A contributor or widow who fails or neglects to comply with any of the requirements of the foregoing section shall, for each default, pay a fine not exceeding £2 sterling, which may be deducted from his or her salary or pension as the case may be.

Penalty for false statement.

(2) A contributor or widow who wilfully makes any false statement respecting any of the particulars required by this Ordinance to be furnished shall be liable to forfeit at the discretion of the Secretary of State all or any part of his or her rights under the scheme.

Calculation of pensions and mode of charge.

12. The Crown Agents shall calculate the pensions payable under this Ordinance and shall pay the pensions as they become due. They shall charge the sums so paid as well as any refunds of contributions paid in accordance with this Ordinance as follows:—

(*a.*) Where the whole of the officer's contributions has been received by this Government the whole cost of pensions or refunds in respect of that contributor shall be charged to this Government.

(*b.*) Where the officer's contributions have been received partly by this Government and partly by one or more other West African Governments the same proportion of the cost of pensions or refunds in respect of that contributor shall be charged to this Government as the amount of the officer's contributions received by this Government bears to the total amount of his contributions.

Pensions to Beneficiaries.

13. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance

(i.) On the death of a contributor leaving one or more beneficiaries such beneficiary or each of such beneficiaries shall receive a pension calculated according to the Pension Tables and instructions annexed to this Ordinance.

Pensions were more than or beneficiary.

(ii.) If pensions are payable to more than one beneficiary each beneficiary shall receive such a proportion of the pension which it would have received if it had been the only beneficiary as unity bears to the total number of beneficiaries.

Effect of lapse of pension or pensions of remaining beneficiaries.

(iii.) Where there are more beneficiaries than one receiving pensions in respect of the same contributor and any of such beneficiaries ceases to exist within the meaning of this Ordinance the beneficiary or beneficiaries if more than one remaining in existence shall receive or each of them shall as from the date of such cessation receive the pension it would have received if it and the other beneficiary or beneficiaries (if any) remaining in existence had been the only beneficiary or beneficiaries in existence at the death of such contributor.

Pension to widow.

14. (1.) Where a beneficiary consists of the widow of a contributor the pension payable to such beneficiary shall subject to any deductions in respect of partial forfeitures under section 11 (2) be paid to her and shall cease on her death, bankruptcy or re-marriage or on the forfeiture of the whole of such pension in accordance with the provisions of that sub-section.

Lapse of widow's pension.

(2.) If on such pension ceasing as aforesaid there are no children of the marriage of such widow with the contributor living and of pensionable age, such beneficiary shall be deemed to cease to exist and the pension payable to it shall lapse.

Pension to children on lapse of widows pension.

(3.) If on such pension ceasing as aforesaid there are such children living and of pensionable age such pension shall be continued and paid to such children as hereinafter provided and such children shall be deemed to constitute a beneficiary within the meaning of this Ordinance.

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Pensions to children.

15. Where a beneficiary consists of children of a contributor the pension payable to such beneficiary shall be at the same rate as the pension which their mother received or would have received if she had been alive and entitled to a pension and shall be paid to such children in equal shares while they remain of pensionable age. When any of such children ceases to be of pensionable age his or her share of such pension shall be paid to the surviving children of pensionable age in in equal shares and when the last surviving child of pensionable age ceases to be of pensionable age such beneficiary shall be deemed to cease to exist and the pension payable to it shall lapse.

Who not entitled to pension.

16. (1) No widow of a contributor whose marriage with him is contracted after he has left the West African Service or has attained the age of 55, whichever of these events shall first happen, and no issue of such marriage shall be capable of constituting a beneficiary or become entitled to any pension under this Ordinance.

(2) No widow of a contributor whose husband dies within twelve calendar months of the marriage without issue of such marriage born in his life-time or in due time after his death, shall be capable of constituting a beneficiary or become entitled to any pension under this Ordinance; provided that the Crown Agents may with the approval of the Governor of the West African Colony or Protectorate in which the contributor last served grant to such widow all or any part of the pension to which she would have been entitled but for the provisions of this sub-section.

Officers dismissed or misconduct not to rank for benefit.

17. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Ordinance no officer who is dismissed from the West African Service for misconduct shall be entitled to rank for benefit under this Ordinance whether by way of pension or return of contributions.

Pension when to commence and how payable.

18. All pensions payable under this Ordinance shall commence upon the death of the contributor in respect of whom they are payable, shall accrue daily, and shall be payable monthly, provided that a pension may be payable quarterly instead of monthly if the pensioner so desires.

Allowance in lieu of pension to widow on bankruptcy.

19. If a widow's pension ceases in her life-time by reason of her bankruptcy, and there are no children of hers to whom such pension can be continued in accordance with Section 14 (3) hereof, the Crown Agents with the approval of the Governor of the West African Colony or Protectorate in which the contributor last served may, from time to time, during the remainder of her life, or during such shorter period or periods, either continuous or discontinuous, as shall be thought fit, pay to such widow an allowance at a rate not exceeding the rate of such pension; or may apply the same for the maintenance and personal support or benefit of, such widow, in such manner as the Crown Agents may, from time to time, think proper.

Pension not to be assigned or levied upon.

20. No pension payable under this Ordinance, and no rights of any contributor acquired thereunder shall be assignable or transferable, or liable to be attached, sequestered or levied upon, for, or in respect of, any debt or claims whatsoever.

Payment of pension to persons acting on behalf of minors in case of desertion.

21. If the widow of a contributor while in receipt of a pension ceases to assist, deserts or abandons a child of hers by the contributor whom she is bound by law to maintain and who is of a pensionable age, the Crown Agents may, in their discretion, pay to a fit and proper person on behalf of such child, such portion of the pension as they may think fit and the widow shall have no further claim in respect of such portion.

Discretion as to payment of minor's pensions.

22. In all cases where under this Ordinance the parties entitled to pensions are minors, such pensions may be paid, either to the legal guardian, or guradians, of such minors, or to such minors or to such person or persons as the Crown Agents may, in their absolute description, think fit and proper persons to apply the same for the benefit of such minors, and after such payment, the Crown Agents and the Government shall be free from all responsibility in respect of such payment.

Proof of title may be required before payment of pension.

23. The Crown Agents may require such proof as they deem desirable that any person claiming to be entitled to pension, or on behalf of whom such claim is

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made, is alive and entitled to pension; and the payment of any pension may be refused until such proof is furnished to the satisfaction of the Crown Agents.

Increases of contributions.

24. Increases of contributions shall rank for benefit on the scale of the Pension Tables as if they were fresh entrances at the respective ages of husband and wife when the increase takes place.

Contributions may continue in full if salary reduced.

25. If the salary of a contributor be reduced so that he comes under a lower scale of contribution under section 5, he may upon giving notice in writing to the Crown Agents of his desire to do so continue to contribute at the rate formerly paid, in which case his widow or children shall be entitled to pension accordingly, but if his rate of contribution be reduced any pension to his widow or children shall be reduced in the same proportion as it would have been increased had his rate of contribution been raised instead of lowered.

Half contributions of contributors dying in or leaving the West African Service without beneficiary to be refunded.

26. If a contributor being.

(*a*) a bachelor, or

(*b*) a widower without children of a pensionable age. leaves or dies in the West African Service, there shall be payable to him or his legal representatives in case (*a*) one half of his total contributions without interest and in case (*b*) one half (without interest) of the contributions which he has paid since the death of his last wife or the ceasing to be of a pensionable age of his last child, whichever event shall have last happened.

Contributor of pensionable standing leaving West African Service married or widower with pensionable children.

27. If a contributor who is married or is a widower with children of a pensionable age retires from the West African Service on pension or is transferred to other Service under the Crown or otherwise leaves the West African Service, before his contribution term has expired, and his service is of such a nature and of such length as would have rendered him eligible for a pension if he had been retired from the West African Service on Medical Certificate, he may continue to contribute at the rate at which he was contributing immediately before he left the West African Service, in which case if he is a pensioner his contributions shall be deducted from his pension. Or he may on, or at any time after, so leaving the West African Service cease to contribute. If he so ceases to contribute, any pension payable on his death shall be reduced so as to correspond with the payments he has made; or, if in the meantime his wife has died or his children have ceased to be of a pensionable age, he shall cease to rank for benefit under this Ordinance whether by way of pension or return of contributions.

Contributors not of pensionable standing married or widower without children.

28. (1) If a contributor who is married or who is a widower with children of a pensionable age and whose service is not of such a nature or is not of such length as would render him eligible for a pension if retired from the West African Service on Medical Certificate dies in the West African Service, any pension that may become payable on his death shall be at the rate of four-fifths of the amount given by the Pension Tables; and pension at the same rate shall be granted if such an officer, having left the West African Service on retirement, transfer or otherwise dies within a period dating from the day of his leaving the service and equal to one third of the number of complete months during which he contributed.

(2) An officer whose case falls under this section shall not be eligible to continue to contribute after he has left the West African Service; and, if he is alive on the expiration of the period above mentioned, he shall cease to be entitled to rank for benefit under this Ordinance whether by way of pension or return of contributions.

Periodical revision of Pension Tables.

29. The Pension Tables may be revised from time to time after an investigation by an Actuary appointed by the Secretary of State. Such investigations shall take place at such dates as the Secretary of State may from time to time determine, being not less than 10 years from the date when the scheme first came into operation or from the date of the last investigation. If after such an investigation it is decided by the Secretary of State that revised Pension Tables shall be adopted, the new Pension Tables as approved by the Actuary shall be substituted for the Tables previously in force and shall come into force on a date which shall be previously notified in the Government Gazette and shall apply to any pension payable in respect of a

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contributor dying on or after that date, but not to any pension payable in respect of a contributor dying before that date.

Questions and disputes to be decided by the Governor-in-Council.

30. All questions and disputes as to who is entitled to be deemed a contributor, or as to the right of a widow or child to a pension, or as to the amount of such pension, or as to the rights or liabilities of any person under this Ordinance, shall be referred by the Crown Agents to the Governor of the West African Colony in which the European Officer concerned is serving or last served, and the Governor's decision shall be binding and conclusive on all parties, and shall be final to all intents and purposes, and shall not be subject to appeal or to be questioned or revised by any Court of Justice.

Cost of Management of Scheme.

31. This Government shall bear such proportion, as the Secretary of State may from time to time determine, of the cost of the management of the Pension Scheme in accordance with this Ordinance, including the amount of any expenditure incurred by the directions of the Secretary of State for actuarial advice or investigations in connection with the Scheme.

Rules and Regulations.

32. Subject to the approval of the Secretary of State first obtained, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, from time to time, to frame rules and regulations, not inconsistent herewith, for the proper carrying out of the provisions of this Ordinance, and from time to time to repeal, alter or vary the same.

Schedule A.

Pension Tables (as in African (West) No. 997.)

Schedule B.

Instructions for the use of the Pension Tables (as in African (West) No. 997) except that in Instruction VI "Section 25 of the Ordinance" should be substituted for "paragraph 18 of the Outline above referred to."

241 Departure.

Major-General P. S. Wilkinson, Inspector General, West African Frontier Force, and Captain F. Jenkins, Staff Officer, left Lokoja for Onitsha on the 2nd April, 1913.

242 Acting Appointment.

Captain G. C. Kelly, 1st Bn., N. N. Regt., has been appointed to perform the duties of Brigade Major, during the absence on leave of Captain C. R. U. Savile, with effect from the 11th April, 1913.

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THE Surveyor's Licence granted to Mr. P. H. Black has been cancelled.

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WARRANTS establishing Native Courts under the Native Court Proclamation under the Seal of the Protectorate, have been issued as under :—

Province.	Grade	Name of Court.	Date of warrant.
Kontagora	C	Alkali's Court of Sakaba.	18th March, 1913.
Zaria ...	D	Alkali's Court of Riga Chikun	1st Feb. 1913.

In the list of Native Court Warrants published in Gazette No. 4, of 1908 page 65, Sakaba (Alkali's Court) "D" grade Kontagora Province is cancelled.

The Warrant establishing Alkali's Court "D" Grade of Riga Chikun (Zaria Province) dated 1st June 1910 is cancelled.

245 Extract from London Gazette.

THE following extract from the London Gazette dated 7th February, 1913, is published for information :—

* * *

INFANTRY.

The Norfolk Regiment. Captain John B. Orr, D.S.O., to be Major. Dated 12th January, 1913.

246 Errata.

Notice No. 618 in Gazette No. 19 of 15th October, 1912, the date of reabsorption of Captain H. B. Spear, 2nd Bn., N. N. Regt., is 31st January, 1913, and not as stated therein.

Reference to Appointment and Assumption of Duty of 2nd Rating Sergeant J. W. Reid which appeared in Gazette Notices of 15th April, 1913, for "do." in the Unit column read "1st Battalion, N. N. Regt."

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Notice No. 234 Gazette No. 8 of 1913, relating to the reabsorption of Lieut. F. H. Sasse is cancelled.

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Rise and Fall of the River Benue.

FOR THE MONTH ENDING FEBRUARY, 28TH 1913.

Date.	RIVER BENUE.			
	Ibi.		Abinsi.	
	Rise ins.	Fall ins.	Rise ins.	Fall ins.
1st to 2nd	—	—	—	—
Week ending 9th	—	3	—	4
do. 16th	—	3	—	2
do. 23rd	—	3	—	2½
24th to 28th	—	1½	—	1
Total Fall ...	—	10½ins.	—	9½ins.

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DAILY RISE AND FALL OF RIVER NIGER, FOR MONTH ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1913.
STATION LOKOJA.

Date.	Rise.	Fall.	Depth recorded.		Remarks.
	ins.	ins.	ft.	ins.	
1	—	—	7	6	
2	—	—	7	6	
3	—	1	7	5	
4	—	—	7	4	
5	—	—	7	4	
6	—	1	7	4	
7	—	—	7	3	
8	—	1	7	3	
9	—	—	7	2	
10	—	—	7	2	
11	—	1	7	2	
12	—	—	7	1	
13	—	1	7	1	
14	—	—	7	—	
15	...	1	7	—	
16	—	1	6	11	
17	—	—	6	10	
18	—	2	6	10	
19	—	—	6	8	
20	—	1	6	7	
21	—	1	6	6	
22	—	2	6	5	
23	—	1	6	3	
24	—	1	6	2	
25	—	1	6	1	
26	—	1	6	—	
27	—	1	5	11	
28	—	1	5	10	
29	—	1	5	9	
30	—	1	5	8	
31	—	1	5	7	
	—	22ins.	Total Fall 16	10ins.	

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DAILY RISE AND FALL OF RIVER NIGER FOR MONTH ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1913.
STATION BARO.

Date.	Rise.	Fall.	Depth reorded.		Remarks.
	ins.	ins.	ft.	ins.	
1	—	—	7	1	
2	—	—	7	1	
3	—	1	7	—	
4	—	—	7	—	
5	—	—	7	—	
6	—	—	7	—	
7	—	1	6	11	
8	—	1	6	10	
9	—	—	6	10	
10	—	1	6	9	
11	—	1	6	8	
12	—	—	6	8	
13	—	—	6	8	
14	—	—	6	8	
15	—	2	6	6	
16	—	2	6	4	
17	—	2	6	2	
18	—	1	6	1	
19	—	1	6	—	
20	—	3	5	9	
21	—	1	5	8	
22	—	1	5	7	
23	—	1	5	6	
24	—	3	5	3	
25	—	1	5	2	
26	—	2	5	—	
27	—	2	4	10	
28	—	1	4	9	
29	—	1	4	8	
30	—	2	4	6	
31	—	1	4	5	
	—	32ins.	Total Fall	2ft. 8ins.	

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Confirmation of Proclamation.

THE Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies has been pleased to notify that His Majesty will not be advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the following:—

No. 3 of 1913, entitled "A Proclamation to repeal the Traders' Licence Proclamation."

By His Excellency's Command,
C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
15th May, 1913.

252 **Post Office Notices.**

THE following arrangement, which will be in force until further notice, for the issue and payment at Kano of money orders for large amounts, *i.e.* for £20 and over, is hereby published for general information.

ISSUE OF MONEY ORDERS.

Any person requiring a money order should pay the money into the Treasury and obtain a Treasury receipt. Upon the presentation of this receipt at the Post Office, which should be made on the same day as it is received from the Treasury, the money order will be issued to him.

PAYMENT OF MONEY ORDERS.

Any person wishing to encash a money order should present the money order at the Post Office and obtain a certificate. Upon the presentation of this certificate at the Treasury, which should be made on the same day as it is received from the Post Office, payment will be made.

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ARRANGEMENTS have been made for the exchange of direct mails between London and Jemaa in place of those hitherto exchanged between London and Keffi.

All correspondence for Jemaa, Keffi, Womba and any station in Nassarawa province should be addressed.

"
"
" Jemaa, Northern Nigeria."

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AFTER June 1st a direct letter mail will be despatched from England to Kaduna. Correspondence for enclosure with this mail should be addressed.

"
" KADUNA
" Northern Nigeria."

H. M. WOOLLEY,
Postmaster-General.

General Post Office
Northern Nigeria
22nd April, 1913.

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The Patents Proclamation.
(No 9 OF 1910 CHAPTER XXVI)

NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to Section 10 of the above Proclamation that the Registrar of Patents has received from Mr. Leopold Valour, of Marchienne-au-Pont in the Kingdom of Belgium, Engineer, an application for the grant of a Patent for an invention entitled "Improvements in machines for separating caoutchouc from the barks of rubber yielding plants and for other similar purposes."

The Complete Specification of the invention has been accepted.

The application and Complete Specification are open for public inspection at the Patent Office during office hours.

Any person desiring to oppose this application must send to the Registrar of Patents notice of such opposition within three months from the date hereof.

Dated the 6th day of May 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Registrar of Patents.

Patents Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,

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The Patents Proclamation.
[No 9 OF 1910 CHAPTER XXVI]

NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to Section 10 of the above Proclamation that the Registrar of Patents has received from Messrs Johannes Harden, of 7 Crescent Rise, Luton, in the County of Bedford England, Engineer, and Electric Furnaces and Smelters, Limited, of 110 Cannon Street, in the City of London, England, an application for the grant of a Patent for an invention entitled "Inprovements in and relating to the Production of Metals from their Ores by Reduction."

The Complete Specification of the invention has been accepted.

The application and Complete Specification are open for public inspection at the Patent Office during office hours.

Any person desiring to oppose this application must send to the Registrar of Patents notice of such opposition within three months from the date hereof.

Dated the 6th day of May 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Registrar of Patents.

Patents Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,

257 **JUDICIAL NOTICES.**

In the matter of the Estate of the late J. T. Hughes, (Deceased)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late J. T. Hughes, deceased, who died at Kano on the 16th day of April 1913 intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Assistant Resident G. L. Uniacke the Provisional Administrator at Kano on or before the 31st day of July 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 24th day of April 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. N. W. Fynn, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. N. W. Fynn, deceased, who died near Shonga in the Niger Province on the 9th day of April 1913 intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Albert Coombe of the Niger Company, Limited, at Lokoja, Provisional Administrator, on or before the 31st day of July 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 25th day of April 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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259 **Commission.**

The following Commission has been issued:—

Name.	Appointment.	Nature of Commission.	Province.	Period.	Date of Commission.
Mr. G. N. Vertue ...	3rd Class Resident ...	To exercise full Judicial Powers of a Resident.	Zaria ...	Whilst stationed in Zaria Province	21st April 1913.

260 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Mr. Thomas Thornton	Assistant Superintendent of Agriculture ...	Agriculture	19th Mar. 1913 ...	5th Apl. 1913.
Sergt. Robert Edward Harvey, R.A.M.C. ...	Sergeant	Medical	2nd Apl. „ ...	18th Apl „
„ Patrick McConn „ ...	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
„ Mark Stroud „ ...	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
„ Morgan Kavanagh Quinlan „ ...	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
Mr. Robert Jago Gregg	Fitter	Public Works	9th Apl. „ ...	25th Apl. 1913
Miss Constance Ethel Amos ...	Nurse	Medical	do. ...	26th April „
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. Samuel Esedete Rufus Decker ...	4th Grade Sorting Clerk & Telegraphist	Post and Telegraphs ...	22nd Oct. 1912 ...	Engaged locally.
Alabi Kessan	2nd Class Warder	Prisons	1st Apl. 1913 ...	do.

261 **Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. J. Withers Gill	Political and Administrative	Resident, Kano	28th March 1913.	
Mr. H. R. Palmer	do. do.	do. Ilorin	28th April „	

262 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months.	Vacation. Days.	Return. Months.	Return. Days.	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Mr. A. C. Shipway ..	Telegraph Inspector, 2nd Grade ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	27th March 1913	Full Salary.
Mr. B. D. Byfield	3rd Class Resident	2 ...	50 ...	2 ...	— ...	16th April 1913	—	do.
Lieut. A. C. Ackland, R.N. ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	do	—	do.
Mr. S. H. P. Vereker ...	do.	2 ...	40 ...	2 ...	— ...	do.	—	do.
Mr. G. P. Lewis	District Superintendent of Post & Telgs.	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	do.	—	do.
Mr. J. Sutherland Brown ...	District Engineer, P.W.D. ...	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	17th April „	do.
Dr. W. Morrison	Medical Officer	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Sergt. W. Ross, R.A.M.C. ...	Sergeant, Medical	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	24th April „	do.
Mr. C. P. Wills	Telegraph Inspector, 2nd Grade ...	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. C. W. Dunnill ...	Assist. Accountant, 3rd Grade, P.W.D.	— ...	55 ...	— ...	55 ...	—	do.	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Awudu Gende	Senior Warder, Prisons	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	—	Half salary. (Local with effect from 1st April 1913.)
Mr. T. W. J. Longmore ...	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	—	Full salary.—Lagos. (Left Zungeru 1st April 1913.)
Mr. J. E. M. Carney ...	1st Class Clerk, Transport ...	— ...	15 ...	— ..	—	—	—	Full salary.—Lagos. (with effect from 8th April 1913.)

263 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Dr. G. B. Norman ...	Medical Officer	1 month ...	7th April 1913	6th May 1913	Half salary. Ill-health.
Dr. C. T. Costello ...	do.	2 months ...	23rd April „	22nd June „	do. do.
NATIVE STAFF					
Mr. I. J. Williams ...	2nd Class Compositor and Machine Printer ...	2 months & 20 days ...	29th Dec. 1912	20th Mar. „	do do. Without salary from 1st to 20th March.

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264 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Captain D. A. Wallbach ..	Chief Transport Officer	Transport	11th April 1913.	
Captain P. Londsdale	3rd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Dr. H. G. Mckinney	Medical Officer	Medical	do.	
Major J. F. N. Price	Commissioner of Police	Police	13th April „	
Mr. A. S. Collard	Chief Surveyor	Surveys	18th April „	
Mr. E. Lloyd Williams	Executive Engineer	Public Works	25th April „	
Mr. H. Bovill	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Dr. B. J. Courtney	Medical Officer	Medical	do.	
Mr. E. A. Langslow-Cock ...	Government Inspector of Mines ...	Mines	do.	
Mr. W. E. Slingsby	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Mr. J. Bothwell	Inspector of Works	Public Works	26th April 1913.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. I. J. Williams	2nd Class Comp. & Machine Printer ...	Printing	21st March 1913.	
Mr. J. A. Ephraim	Assistant Chief Clerk	Audit	11th April „	
Mr. J. E. M. Carney	1st Class Clerk...	Transport	23rd April „	
Mr. C. Biney	do.	Political and Administrative ...	25th April „	

265 **Transfer.**

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. C. J. Carew	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	Southern Nigeria ...	2nd Class Clerk	1st April 1913.

266 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed :—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Lieut. J. W. Chamley	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	Colloquial Test ...	27th March 1913.
Lieut. G. T. Burney	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
Lieut. W. T. Wyllie	do.	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	do. ...	3rd April „
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. G. W. E. Manasseh ...	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	do. ...	31st March 1913.

267 **English Examination.**

Under the provisions of G. S. O. No. 52, para. 4, the undermentioned passed :—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.	Remarks.
NATIVE POLICE.				
No. 3368 P.C. Baturi Kano ...	Northern Nigeria Police ...	Lower Standard	2nd April 1913. ...	
„ 3373 „ Momadu Kontagora ...	do. do. ...	do.	do. ...	
„ 3594 „ Musa Suga	do. do. ...	do.	do. ...	

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268 **Termination of Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Acting Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Lieut. M. Neill	Chief Transport Officer ...	Transport	10th April 1913 ...	
Mr. T. J. Waters	Chief Surveyor	Surveys	17th April 1913 ...	
Mr. R. Gregson Williams	Government Inspector of Mines ...	Mines	24th April 1913 ...	

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269 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Lieut. Michael Edwin Fell, Connaught Rangers	Company Officer... ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	26th March 1913 ...	12th April 1913.
BRITISH N.C.O.				
Lance Sergt. Victor S. Newberry, Royal Sussex Regiment ...	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	2nd April 1913 ...	18th April 1913.

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270 **Leave of Absence**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officer from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months	Days	Months	Days			
Capt C. F. S. Maclaverty ° ...	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	11th Apl. 1913	Full salary.
Lieut. C. M. H. Venour* ...	1st Bn. N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	do.	do.
Capt. H. H. Shott, D.S.O. ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	16th Apl. 1913	— ...	do.
Capt. C. R. U. Savile ...	Headquarters, N. N. Regt. ...	2 ...	50 ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	17th Apl. 1913	do.
Capt. R. W. Fox	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	24th Apl. „	do.
Capt. H. W. Green ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	do.	do.
Major E. M. Baker ° ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	60 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	27th Apl. „	do.
Invalided.								
Lieut. J. W. E. Boulderson ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	— ...	40 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	17th Apl. „	do.
Lieut. H. S. L. Scott ...	Mounted Infantry, N. N. Kegt. ...	— ...	10 ..	— .	10 ...	— ...	24th Apl. „	do.
BRITISH N.C.O.								
Sergt. Major P. G. Noott ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	— ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	do.	do.
BRITISH N.C.Os.								
Colour Sergt. F. Sinclair ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	3rd Apl. „	Full salary.
Orderly Room Sergt. S. J. Cole	do.	2 ...	40 ...	2 ...	— ...	16th Apl. 1913	— ...	do.
Farrier Sergt. H. Mapp ...	Mounted Infantry, N. N. Regt. ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	20th Mar. „	—

* Woermann Line.

271 **Extension of Leave.**

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Capt. H. M. Dillon ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	1 month & 18 days	1st Jan. 1913	18th Feb. 1913	Army rate.
Lieut. W. E. Williams ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	4 months ...	3rd Jan. „	2nd May „	Ill-health. Army rate

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Resumption of Duty.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Lieut. E. B. Wesche	Company Officer ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	5th April 1913
Lieut. J. Bremner	Staff Quartermaster ...	Headquarters, N. N. Regt	11th April "
Capt. N. K. Street	Company Commander ...	2nd Bn., N N Regt. ...	18th April "
Major J. B. Orr, D.S.O. ...	Commanding Officer ...	M. I., N. N. Regt. ...	25th April "
Lieut. C. L. Waters	Company Officer ...	1st Bn, N. N. Regt. ...	do
BRITISH N.C.O.			
Sergeant F. W. Dean	1st Rating Sergeant ...	do. ...	do.

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Re-absorptions.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of reabsorption into British Regiment.	Remarks.
Lieut. M. W. Graham	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	30th January 1913 ...	
Capt. H. M. Dillon	Company Commander ...	2nd Bn. N. N. Regt. ...	19th February 1913 ...	
BRITISH N.C.O.				
Sergeant F. C. Richings	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	2nd March 1913. ...	

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 8th March 1913.

Period.	Coaching		Goods.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 8th March 1913 ...	2,100	372	12,216	1,344	20	7	16,059
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,579	392	4,556	1,245	22	5	7,799
Increase ...	521	...	7,660	99	...	2	8,260
Decrease ...	...	20	...	...	2	...	...
Total for current year to date ...	19,610	3,129	91,090	12,199	186	197	126,411
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	15,253	2,438	46,611	10,214	201	59	74,776
Increase ...	4,357	691	44,479	1,985	...	138	51,635
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...

Mileage Open 912.
Mean Mileage Worked 912.
Average Receipts per mean mile £17·61.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Idde-Jebba South 396 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 336 miles.	Zaria to Kahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,741	157	457	117	2,472
Goods	7,331	69	3,992	2,168	13,560
Telegraph	15	...	2	3	20
Sundries	5	...	2	...	7
Total for Week	9,092	226	4,453	2,288	16,059
Total for current year	77,149	2,326	31,638	15,298	126,411
Corresponding period of 1912	58,496	1,729	14,551	...	74,776
Increase	18,653	597	17,087	15,298	51,635
Decrease	...	...	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	Total.	Tramways.	
	£	£	£	£	£		£
Total for the Week ...	240	925	64	115	1,344	For the Week	73
Total for current year ..	1,821	8,925	1,269	184	12,199	Total for current year ...	590
Corresponding period 1912 ...	1,450	6,287	544	1,933	10,214	Corresponding period of 1912	599
Increase ...	371	2,638	725	...	1,985	Increase	...
Decrease ...	...	...	...	1,749	...	Decrease	9

Ebute Metta,
28th March 1913.

F. H. Derriman,
Acting Chief Accountant.

F. H. Waller,
Acting General Manager

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Traffic Statement for the week ending 15th March 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 15th March 1913...	2,113	369	10,110	1,231	23	11	13,857
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,719	397	5,533	1,248	22	4	8,923
Increase ...	394	—	4,577	...	1	7	4,934
Decrease ...	...	28	...	17	...	...	...
Total for Current year to date ...	21,723	3,498	101200	13,430	209	208	140,268
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	16,972	2,835	52,144	11,462	223	63	83,699
Increase ...	4,751	663	49,056	1,968	...	145	56,569
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	14	..	...

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £15·19

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Idilo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Baro-Kano 356 miles.	Zaria-Bahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,759	160	407	156	2,482
Goods	7,728	58	3,126	429	11,341
Telegraph	16	1	2	4	23
Sundries	9	...	1	1	11
Total for Week	9,512	219	3,536	590	13,857
Total for current year	86,661	2,545	35,174	15,888	140,268
Corresponding period of 1912	65,672	1,957	16,070	...	83.699
Increase	20,989	588	19,104	15,888	56,569
Decrease	...	...	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	195	979	54	3	1,231	For the Week 68
Total for current year ...	2,016	9,304	1,323	187	13,430	Total for current year ... 659
Corresponding period of 1912	1,798	6,928	589	2,147	11,462	Corresponding period of 1912... 659
Increase ...	218	2,976	734	...	1,968	Increase —
Decrease ...	...	...	...	1,960	...	Decrease —

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3rd April 1913.

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276 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 22nd March 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 22nd Mar. 1913 ...	1,826	285	11,402	851	21	19	14,402
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,742	350	5,376	918	20	6	8,412
Increase ...	84	—	6,026	—	1	11	5,990
Decrease ...	—	65	—	67	—	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	23,549	3,783	112,602	14,281	230	225	154,670
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	18,714	3,185	57,520	12,380	243	69	92,111
Increase ...	4,835	598	55,082	1,901	—	156	62,559
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	13	—	—

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipt per mean mile £15·79

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Idilo-Jebba South 306 miles	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles	Zaria-Bahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,528	124	368	91	2,111
Goods	8,217	123	2,500	1,413	12,253
Telegraph	16	—	2	3	21
Sundries	14	—	2	1	17
Total for Week	9,775	247	2,872	1,508	14,402
Total for current year	96,436	2,792	38,046	17,396	154,670
Corresponding period of 1912	72,314	2,208	17,589	—	92,111
Increase	24,122	584	20,457	17,396	62,559
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	191	653	7	—	851	For the Week 54
Total for current year ...	2,207	10,557	1,330	187	14,281	Total for current year .. 713
Corresponding period of 1912	1,954	7,552	619	2,255	12,380	Corresponding period of 1912... 704
Increase ...	253	3,005	711	—	1,901	Increase ... 9
Decrease ...	—	—	—	2,068	—	Decrease .. —

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10th April, 1913.

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277 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 29th March 1913.

PERIOD	COACHING. Public.	COACHING. Govt.	GOODS. Public.	GOODS. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 29th March 1913 ...	2,228	365	12,231	1,195	24	116	16,159
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,658	483	5,438	921	19	4	8,523
Increase ...	570	—	6,793	274	5	112	7,636
Decrease ...	—	118	—	—	—	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	25,777	4,148	124,833	15,476	254	341	170,829
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	20,372	3,668	62,958	13,301	262	73	100,634
Increase ...	5,405	480	61,875	2,175	—	268	70,195
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	8	—	—

Mileage Open 912
Mean Mileage Worked 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £17·72.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

PARTICULARS.	Idio-Jebba South 366 miles.	Jebba-North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria-Kahuna 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,937	171	358	127	2,593
Goods	7,809	31	4,180	1,406	13,426
Telegraph	18	1	2	3	24
Sundries	2	—	114	—	116
Total for week	9,766	203	4,654	1,536	16,159
Total for current year	106,202	2,995	42,700	18,932	170,829
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	79,118	2,407	19,109	—	100,634
Increase	27,084	588	23,591	18,932	70,195
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.	
	£	£	£	£	£		£
Total for the week ...	67	982	142	4	1,195	For the Week	80
Total for current year ...	2,274	11,539	1,472	191	15,476	Total for current year	793
Corresponding period of 1912	2,151	8,209	619	2,331	13,301	Corresponding period of 1912	745
Increase ...	123	3,330	853	—	2,175	Increase	48
Decrease ...	—	—	—	2,140	—	Decrease	—

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CROP STATISTICS.

KANO PROVINCE.

Statistics of Gero supplied from Kano, Katagum and Northern Divisions,

KATAGUM. (Mr. Asst. Resident Morgan-Owen.)

	No. 1 Farm Unmanured	No. 2 Farm Manured
Size almost		just over 2¼ acres
Total Production - -	38 bundles	92 bundles
Average weight of bundle in stalk	75 lbs.	75 lbs.
Weight of bundle threshed	44 lbs.	44 lbs.
Average price per bundle	6d.	6d.

KANO. (Mr. Asst. Resident **Monsell.**)

Soil	No. 1 Farm Jagawa Manured	No. 2 Farm Fokku Manured	No. 3 **Farm** **Jigawa Unmanured**
No. of bundles per acre	39	41	**16**

Average weight of bundle in **stalk 58 lbs**
" " " " **threshed 44 lbs.**
" price per bundle 9d.

NORTHERN DIVISION.
(Mr. Assistant Resident Miller-Stirling.)

Average yield per acre 9 bundles — Average weight per bundle **62 lbs.**
Do. weight of bundles unthreshed 42 lbs. — Do. price per 42 lbs **threshed 7d.**

2.

Statistics of Guinea Corn yield for the neighbourhood of Kano by **Mr. Assistant** Resident H. E. Bellew, dated 24th November 1912.

No. of farm Selected.	Nature of Crop.	Soil.	Manured or Unmanured.	Area of farm.	Gross Number of bundles.	Number of bundles per acre.	Gross weight Unthreshed.	Weight of grain produced per threshed bundle.	**Total lbs of threshed grain per acre.**
No. 1	Dawa	Jigawa	Manured	1 rood	7	28	563 lbs	42 lbs.	**1176 lbs.**
No. 2	Dawa	Fokku	Manured	2 acres 1 rd.	15	7	1252 "	46 "	**322 "**
No. 3	Dawa	Jigawa	Unmanured	1 acre 1 rd.	10	8	772 "	57 "	**456 "**

Average weight of bundle—80 lbs.
Average weight of grain per threshed bundle—48 lbs.
Value of bundle ... ... 9d.

3.

Statistics of mixed Guinea Corn and Gero from Katsina Division by Mr. Assistant Resident N. M. Gepp, dated 8th November 1912.

Seven farms were measured to obtain the information required. Most of the farms selected for measurement were small as I decided to weigh all the bundles obtained if possible; this was done in every case but one.

2. I attach a table of statistics giving the acreage and yield per acre of the selected farms.

3. The soil in the neighbourhood of Katsina is generally of a light loamy sandy nature called "jigawa" and is more suited to gero than dawa. Two only of the farms were dawa farms but all the other farms had a small crop of dawa in addition to their crop of gero. It seems that all the farmers make a practice of sowing a small amount of dawa with their gero.

4. I have the following remarks to make in regard to the individual farms.

No. 1 Farm Bukr. This farm has been in use for 4 years; before that it was lying fallow for several years. Only gero is sown here as a rule. No manure was used on the farm. 3 mudus of gero were sown and 1¼ mudu of dawa (1 mudu of

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grain equals 4 handfuls). This farmer lives on his farm all the year round and has no occupation but farming. He has no help in his farming—The soil is very light "jigawa", stony and rocky in places; in fact it is of the very poorest description and unless very heavily manured could not be expected to produce anything but a very poor crop. The farmer is poor and could not afford to get any manure hence the very poor return. The corn failed completely on large spaces on this farm. The farmer obtained 15 bundles of gero, 8 of these averaging 63 lbs, each contained ordinary gero; 7 bundles were of what is called "butuli" that is grain of the very poorest and thinnest description and this kind of grain is generally bound up separately. Every farm has one or more bundles of "butuli" but for a farm to have nearly half its produce of grain of this description points to the very poor quality of the crop. The best quality of corn called "mai ido" is also bound up separately and is used for sewing the following year. There was no grain of this description on the farm, the farmer will therefore have to buy his seed grain for next year.

No. 2 Farm Awdu. This land has been farmed for the last 8 years—last year only gero was sown. 40 "Sanfo" (basket) of manure were used on the farm. One "mudu" of gero was sown and one handful of dawa. The farmer lives here all the year round. He has no help in his farming. He has another larger farm. The farm is on high land, jigawa soil. Of the gero crop one bundle was "mai ido" corn selected for seed, 9 bundles were ordinary gero, and 3 bundles "butuli."

No. 3 Farm Hediman. This farm was cleared last year when, as this year, dawa was sown. No manure has been used on the farm. The soil is a mixture of "jigawa" and "fokku" (more heavy than jigawa inclined to be clayey)—it is also sandy and stony very similar in places to No. 1. farm. The farmer lives here all the year; he has other farms and is helped by his wives and boys but the farm was not well looked after and having had no manure the crop was naturally poor.

No. 4. Farm Mohammo. There has been a farm here for a great many years, gero is generally sown. No manure was used this year; 500 sq. yards in one corner of the farm were uncultivated. The farmer lives here all the year round, he is helped by his wife. The farmer is in charge of one of the Katsina town gates and his farm is outside the walls near the gate. The soil is "jigawa." One bundle of "mai ido" was obtained 11 bundles of ordinary gero and 2 bundles of "butuli."

No. 5. Farm Mallam Dodo. There has been a farm here for a great many years, it is always in cultivation, never fallow. It is situated a short distance outside Katsina town walls. Gero was sown here last year. 200 basketfuls of manure have been put on the farm since last harvest. This farmer is well off and has boys who do the manual labour on the farm. The soil is a mixture of "jigawa," "fokku" and "dosayi" (rich marshy) soils, chiefly "jigawa." 4 "mudu" of gero seed was sown. This farm was well looked after, the farmer has the reputation of being a good knowledgeable farmer, and the farm is a good example of well cultivated land sufficiently manured. The total number of gero bundles was 89 consisting of 2 "mai ido" bundles weighing 87 lbs each selected for seed, 73 bundles of good average corn of an average weight of 79 lbs and 14 bundles of "butuli" of an average weight of 65 lbs. The 2 handfuls of dawa which were sown produced 6 bundles of an average weight of 62 lbs. This is the farm where half the bundles of gero were weighed, on all the other farms all the corn produced was weighed.

No. 6. Farm Alti. This farm is inside Katsina town. There has been a farm here for a great many years and it is never left fallow. Gero and dawa are both sown here. 50 "Sanfo" of manure were used here since last harvest. The farmer has boys to help him; he also has other farms. The soil is light fokku with a little jigawa. ½ "mudu" of gero grain was sown and a "mudu" of dawa. There was no bundle of grain seed. There were 6 bundles of ordinary gero and 1 bundle of "butuli."

No. 7. Farm Balla. This farm is also inside Katsina town. Dawa is always sown here the soil being heavy "fokku." There has been a farm here for a great many years. No manure was put on the farm, but it obtains a good deal of manure from the goats and other animals in the neighbourhood; half a "mudu" of grain was sown. This farmer has boys who help him; he has other farms.

Name of Farmer.	Size of Farm.	Produce of Gero.	Produce of Dawa (fara fara.)	Total Produce	Average produce of lbs. per. acre.	Weight of bundle to be threshed.	Weight of threshed Grain.
Bukr	2½ acres	839 lbs.	130 lbs.	969 lbs.	387 lbs.	—	—
Awdu ...	3 roods	589 ,,	64 ,,	653 ,,	868 ,,	53 lbs. gero	32 lbs.
Headiman ...	3 roods	—	154 ,,	154 ,,	204 ,,	—	—
Mahammo ...	1 acre	875 ,,	134 ,,	1009 ,,	1009 ,,	—	—
Mallam Dodo ...	3½ acres	6850 ,,	372 ,,	7222 ,,	2220 ,,	78 lbs. gero	52 ,,
Alti ...	½ acre	423 ,,	983 ,,	1406 ,,	2812 ,,	54 ,,	34 ,,
Balla ...	½ acre	—	912 ,,	912 ,,	1824 ,,	56 lbs dawa	40 ,,

SOKOTO Province.

Crop Statistics—GERO. (By Mr. Resident Malcolm, October 1912.)

	Area of Farm. Acres.	Roods	Manured or otherwise	Bundles	Total weight stalked	Total weight threshed	Price	Total value threshed grain £	s.	d.
Argungu	2	2	...	...	720 lbs.	528 lbs.	...	0	11	0
	3	3	...	...	445 ,,	175 ,,	...	0	7	0
Birnin-Kebbi	4	2	Not	50	...	1031 ,,	20 lbs. for 6d.	1	5	9
	—	3	,,	12	...	231 ,,	,, ,, ,, ,,	0	5	9
	3	1	,,	40	...	1096½ ,,	,, ,, ,, ,,	1	7	5
	—	2	Manured	15	...	321½ ,,	,, ,, ,, ,,	0	8	0
	1	1	,,	30	...	598 * ,,	,, ,, ,, ,,	0	15	0
	1	1	,,	30	...	1164½ ,,	,, ,, ,, ,,	1	9	1
Sokoto	3	1	,,	32	2080 lbs.	1344 ,,	,, ,, ,, ,,	1	13	7
	3	2	,,	38	2280 ,,	1520 ,,	,, ,, ,, ,,	1	18	0
	3	3	,,	33	2244 ,,	1435½ ,,	,, ,, ,, ,,	1	15	10

DAWA AND GERO.—(By Mr. Resident Malcolm, February 1913.)

Number of Farms.	Crop.	Area of farm Acres	Roods	Bundles reaped.	Weight on stalk lbs.	Weight threshed lbs.	Value of Corn £	s.	d.	Value of Stalk £	s.	d.	Total value. £	s.	d.	Remarks.
1	Dawa *	6	1¾	9	520	...	0	9	0	0	2	3	0	11	3	Crops very poor
	Gero			40	2,400	1,562	1	19	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	
2	Dawa *	6	1¾	9	491	...	0	9	0	0	2	3	0	11	3	,, ,,
	Gero			30	1,800	1,172	1	9	3	0	1	9	1	11	0	
3	Dawa	1	3½	14	728	..	0	14	0	0	2	6	0	16	6	
	Gero			14	1,050	683½	0	17	1	0	1	3	0	18	4	
4	Dawa	1	1¼	14	865	...	0	14	0	0	2	6	0	16	6	
	Gero			18	1,080	703	0	17	7	0	1	0	0	18	7	

*Ground nuts also grown on this farm.

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SOKOTO. GROUNDNUTS AND RICE. (By Mr. Resident Malcolm, February 1913.)

Number of Farm.	Crop.	Area of Farm. Acres.	Area of Farm. Roods.	Amount sown lbs.	Amount reaped lbs.	Rate.	Value of crop. £	Value of crop. s.	Value of crop. d.	Profit. £	Profit. s.	Profit. d.
5 ...	Groundnuts	1	1½	100	650	10d for 50 lbs.	0	10	10	0	9	2
6 ...	,, ...	—	3½	50	420	1/- ,, 60 ,,	0	7	0	0	6	2
1 ...	,, ...	6	*1¾	45	360	1/2d. ,, 60 ,,	0	7	0	0	6	1½
2 ...	,, ...	6	*1¾	60	360	1/2d. ,, 60 ,,	0	7	0	0	5	10
7 ...	Rice ...	2	—	71½	550	1/- ,, 50 ,,	0	11	0	0	9	7

* Planted along with the Dawa and Gero in Farms 1 and 2

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 17.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 28TH APRIL, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 23rd April :—

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SAILINGS; BURUTU, 23rd April :—

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LAGOS, 24th April :—

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BURUTU, 26th April :—

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OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 3RD MAY 1913.

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SAILINGS; BURUTU, 30th April :—

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ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 2nd May :—

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BURUTU, 3rd May :—

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Government Notices.

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IT is hereby notified for information that it has been decided to discontinue the courses in elementary topography which have been arranged for Colonial Officers, other than officials of Survey Departments, at the Ordnance Survey Office, Southampton.

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IT has recently been brought to notice that a representative of a Mining Company on meeting a Native Chief returning from a visit to a distant province sent two Europeans with him to prospect in his Emirate. Mining representatives are notified that no communications may take place between them and Native Chiefs except through the medium of a Political Officer.

280 **Bauchi Yola Boundary.**

THE boundary between Bauchi and Yola Provinces is amended and now defined as follows:—Starting from a point midway between two Kuka trees on the South bank of the River Waja, about 3 miles above Kombo, the boundary runs south in a direction of about 159° to a Kuka tree 220 paces South of the Kombo Bango Road and about 2½ miles from Kombo. From this point in a straight line to a Kuka tree one mile West of Gwallam, then South in a direction of 169° to a point at the foot of the Bango Hills. The boundary then follows the foot of the Hills till the Wala valley is reached, which it crosses and follows the Dukul Valley till it strikes the escarpment, continuing it follows the crest of the plateau until opposite Sile, where it strikes West and follows the line of hills to Jesse, then in a direct line to a small hill about three miles south of Kendio (Chum) and from there to the "Dadia" Range of Hills the crest of which it follows to Kushe.

281 **Native Courts.**

WARRANTS establishing Native Courts under the Native Courts Proclamation, with the approval of the Governor, under the Seal of the Protectorate, have been issued as under :—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of Warrant.
Yola	"D"	Judicial Council of Marghi	4th Feb. 13.
	,,	Judicial Council of Kilba	,,
Bassa	"B"	Judicial Council of Boju	19th April 13
	"C"	Judicial Council of Dekina	,,

282 **Customs Code Amendment.**

PAGE 40 Insert the following after paragraph 389 :—

Charging of rent on goods deposited in Burutu warehouse.

389*a*. Rent is not to be charged on packages consigned to officers stationed in the interior until they have been in the warehouse for one month.

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ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 2nd May :—

Mr. E. C. Duff, and Capt. George Andrson, 2nd Class Residents, Mr. T. A. G. Budgen, Asst. Resident, Capt. W. M. Fowler, Commissioner of Police, Capt. J. M. Benson, Medical Officer, Lt. B. Edwards, N. N. R., Mr. G. F. Mason, District Supdnt. of Post and Telegraphs.

BURUTU, 3rd May :—

Nil.

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Government Notices.

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IT is hereby notified for information that it has been decided to discontinue the courses in elementary topography which have been arranged for Colonial Officers, other than officials of Survey Departments, at the Ordnance Survey Office, Southampton.

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IT has recently been brought to notice that a representative of a Mining Company on meeting a Native Chief returning from a visit to a distant province sent two Europeans with him to prospect in his Emirate. Mining representatives are notified that no communications may take place between them and Native Chiefs except through the medium of a Political Officer.

280 **Bauchi Yola Boundary.**

THE boundary between Bauchi and Yola Provinces is amended and now defined as follows:—Starting from a point midway between two Kuka trees on the South bank of the River Waja, about 3 miles above Kombo, the boundary runs south in a direction of about 159° to a Kuka tree 220 paces South of the Kombo Bango Road and about 2½ miles from Kombo. From this point in a straight line to a Kuka tree one mile West of Gwallam, then South in a direction of 169° to a point at the foot of the Bango Hills. The boundary then follows the foot of the Hills till the Wala valley is reached, which it crosses and follows the Dukul Valley till it strikes the escarpment, continuing it follows the crest of the plateau until opposite Sile, where it strikes West and follows the line of hills to Jesse, then in a direct line to a small hill about three miles south of Kendio (Chum) and from there to the "Dadia" Range of Hills the crest of which it follows to Kushe.

281 **Native Courts.**

WARRANTS establishing Native Courts under the Native Courts Proclamation, with the approval of the Governor, under the Seal of the Protectorate, have been issued as under :—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of Warrant.
Yola	"D"	Judicial Council of Marghi	4th Feb. 13.
	,,	Judicial Council of Kilba	,,
Bassa	"B"	Judicial Council of Boju	19th April 13
	"C"	Judicial Council of Dekina	,,

282 **Customs Code Amendment.**

PAGE 40 Insert the following after paragraph 389 :—

Charging of rent on goods deposited in Burutu warehouse.

389*a*. Rent is not to be charged on packages consigned to officers stationed in the interior until they have been in the warehouse for one month.

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389*b*. The arrival of packages for Southern Nigeria Officers should be reported by telegraph to the officers concerned. In every case the Transport (Marine) Officer at Burutu is to be advised.

389*c*. Uncustomed goods for Onitsha should not be charged rent while awaiting shipment.

389*d*. Packages deposited in the warehouse for private persons other than those mentioned above are to be charged rent at the ordinary scale.

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Extracts from London Gazette.

THE following extracts from the London Gazette are published for information:—

Gazette dated 14th March, 1913.

INFANTRY.

Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment). The undermentioned Lieutenant to be Captain. Dated 29th January, 1913:—

Orbell Oakes, and to remain seconded.

* * *

The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles). The undermentioned Lieutenant to be Captain. Dated 1st February, 1913:—

* * *

Thomas R. McLellan.

* * *

Gazette Dated 18th March, 1913.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Officers are granted temporary rank as follows, while employed with the West African Frontier Force. Dated 16th March, 1913:—

As Lieutenant-Colonel Major John B. Cockburn, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

As Major Captain Thomas N. Puckle, the Leicestershire Regiment.

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284 **Errata.**

Notice No. 665 Gazette No. 81 of 1912, the 35 days leave shown as granted to Sergt. C. M. Pickup, is cancelled.

Notice No. 47 Gazette No. 2 of 1913, the date of reabsorption of Sergt. C. M. Pickup. into his British Regiment is 31st January 1913 and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 220 Gazette No. 8 of 1913, the date on which Captain J. Goold-Adams left Burutu proceeding on leave was the 16th of April 1913, and not as stated therein.

285 **Obituary.**

HIS Excellency the Governor announces with deep regret the death of Mr. J. O. Greenwood, Assistant Commissioner of Police, which occurred in England on the 19th of March 1913.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
31st May, 1913.

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JUDICIAL NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. Magnus James, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Magnus James, deceased, who died at Kano on the 5th day of May 1913 intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Assistant Resident G. L. Uniacke, the Provisional Administrator at Kano on or before the 31st day of August 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 10th day of May 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

287 The following have been granted under the Minerals Proclamation No. 9 of 1910 Schedule Chapter LXIV.

PROSPECTING RIGHTS.

No. of Right.	Grantee.	Period one year to.
305	C. E. Doherty	11th March 1914
306	L. G. Hutchison	17th Nov. 1913
307	G. V. Michell	3rd March 1914
308	H. E. Molyneux	7th March 1914
309	L. H. Bennett	27th March 1914

No. of Right.	Grantee.	Period one year to.
267	E. J. Bucking	2nd Oct. 1913
268	James Proctor Stallard	3rd Oct. 1913
269	Alex. Warren	"
270	G. E. Hayes	4th Oct. 1913
271	William Finlay	10th Oct. 1913
272	Llwellyn Morgan	25th Oct. 1913
273	L. H. L. Huddart	28th Oct. 1913
274	A. Herfurth	1st Nov. 1913
275	Wilhelm Hessel	19th Nov. 1913
276	F. J. Perti Smith	"
277	William Walton	17th Nov. 1913
278	H. A. Porter	28th Nov. 1913
279	H. E. Nicholls	"
280	Arthur Stanley Williams	"
281	John Ebbs	29th Nov. 1913
282	A. L. Butler	2nd Dec. 1913
283	Arthur Sweet	15th Nov. 1913
284	James Scollard	15th Dec. 1913
285	R. T. Hancock	15th Nov. 1913
286	R. Shaw	"
287	S. C. Bate	19th Dec. 1913
288	A. McKenzie	12th Nov. 1913
289	A. R. Canning	13th Jan. 1914
290	A. T. Watson	"
291	John H. Fennell	15th Jan. 1914
292	E. Edwards	22nd Jan. 1914
293	R. M. Hathaway	13th Jan. 1914
294	G. E. Davis	25th Jan. 1914
295	Godfrey Macpherson	4th Feb. 1914
297	Vicars Boyle	6th Feb. 1914
298	H. J. Speed	"
299	S. L. Terrell	24th Feb. 1914
300	J. J. Corris	"
301	W. D. Gore	"
302	L. A Baxter	8th Feb. 1914
303	J. Hymers Grey	25th Feb. 1914
304	A. W. Davies	14th March 1914

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No.	To whom granted.	Area.	Locality.	Date. From	Date. To	Remarks.
500	Exploring Lands & Minerals Co. Ltd	2·39 sq. mls.	G'Nar Watershed, Central	17th April 1912	16th April 1913	
502	„ „ „ ..	16 „ „	Gnar, Central ..	25th April „	24th April „	
521	G. R. Nicolaus	8 „ „	Dress, „ ..	15th May „	14th May „	
522	„ „ „ ..	8 „ „	Gnar, „ ..	„	„	
592	Ropp Tin Limited ...	14·7 „ „	Ropp, — ..	10th July 1912	9th July 1913	Renewal of E. P. L. No. 305.
638	Benue (N.N.) Tin Mines Ltd. ..	1·3 „ „	Duchin Gingia, Zaria ..	20th Sept. „	19th Sept. „	
646	Rayfield Syndicate Limited ..	2 „ „	Lafon River, Central ..	1st June „	31st May „	„ „ „ 279.
647	West African Mines „ ..	1 „ „	N'Gell Stream, „ ..	15th Sept. „	14th Sept. „	„ „ „ 334.
648	Niger Company Limited ..	2 „ „	Baron, „ ..	„	„	„ „ „ 333.
649	„ „ „ ..	9 „ „	Baron River, „ ..	„	„	„ „ „ 332.
650	Sir William Wallace	3 „ „	Kuskerre River, „ ..	„	„	„ „ „ 331.
651	Anglo-Continental Mines Co. Ltd...	4·47 „ „	Near Delimi „ „ ..	14th Sept. 1912	13th Sept. 1913	„ „ „ 324.
652	Champion Nigeria Tinfields Co. Ltd	1·8 „ „	Berrida River, Zaria ..	20th Sept. „	19th Sept. „	„ „ „ 338.
653	„ „ „ ..	6 „ „	Lower Berrida, „ ..	„	„	„ „ „ 339.
654	„ „ „ ..	7¾ „ „	Nagodi, „ ..	„	„	„ „ „ 340.
655	„ „ „ ..	12·18 „ „	Al Heri, „ ..	„	„	„ „ „ 343.
656	„ „ „ ..	2·65 „ „	Gogo, „ ..	„	„	„ „ „ 344.
657	„ „ „ ..	2¼ „ „	Nassari, „ ..	„	„	„ „ „ 341.
658	„ „ „ ..	3 „ „	Sabokinka, „ ..	„	„	„ „ „ 342.
659	N. Nigeria Mining & Exploration Co. Ltd. ...	4.05 „ „	Gojarandi River, Central	7th Oct 1912	6th Oct. 1913	„ „ „ 347.
660	Filani (Nigeria) Tin Mining Co. Ltd	1 „ „	Saiya District, „ ..	18th Oct. „	17th Oct. „	
661	Tins Areas of Nigeria Ltd. ..	3 „ „	Buji River, „ ...	10th Aug. „	9th Aug. „	„ „ „ 321.
662	M. P. Hyatt Esquire ..	3 sq. mls.	Koriga River, Niger Prov.	1st Nov. 1912	31st Oct. 1912	
663	L. H. L. Huddart Esquire ..	1 „ „	„ „ „ ..	„	„	
664	„ „ „ ..	2·8 „ „	„ „ „ ..	„	„	
665	„ „ „ ..	4 „ „	„ „ „ ..	„	„	
666	„ „ „ ..	2 „ „	„ „ „ ..	„	„	
667	G. R. C. Nicolaus Esquire ..	7 612 „ „	Curly Creek, Central ..	26th Sept. 1912	25th Sept. 1913	
668	Rayfield (Nig.) Tin Fields Ltd. ..	·23 „ „	N'Gell River „ ..	16th Nov. „	15th Nov. „	
669	Nigerian Tin Trust & Exploration Ltd.	3·8 „ „	Kogin Ragga, Nassarawa	15th Sept. „	14th Sept. „	Renewal of E. P. L. No. 327.
670	Nigerian Tin Corporation ..	2 „ „	Amo River Central ...	13th April „	12th April „	„ „ „ 225.
671	Fabrak (Nigeria) Tin Limited ..	3 „ „	Scillan „ „ ..	14th July 1912	13th July 1913	„ „ „ 312.
672	Nigerian Tin Corporation „ ..	2 „ „	Amo „ „ ..	13th April „	12th April „	„ „ „ 224.
673	Fabrak (Nigeria) Tin „ ..	2 „ „	Scillan „ „ ..	9th May „	8th May „	„ „ „ 261.
674	„ „ „ ..	2 „ „	West of Ningi „ ...	„	„	„ „ „ 262.
675	Anglo-Continental Mines Co. Ltd..	1·9 „ „	Rafin Buba „ ...	24th Nov. 1912	23rd Nov. 1913	
676	Nigerian Plateau Limited ..	1·543 „	Ouree River „ ...	„	„	
677	„ „ „ ..	2·7 „ „	„ „ „ ...	„	„	
678	„ „ „ ..	2 „ „	„ „ „ ..	„	„	
679	„ „ „ ..	1·93 „ „	Ahoo „ ..	„	„	
680	„ „ „ ..	2 „ „	Danchandon River Central	„	„	

EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENCES.—(Continued).

No.	To whom granted.	Area.	Locality.	Date. From.	Date. To	Remarks
681	Nigerian Plateau Ltd.	2 sq. mls.	Lower Ahoo, Central ..	24th Nov. 1912	23rd Nov. 1913	
682	Anglo-Continental Mines Company Ltd. ...	14 „ „	Near Jemaa, Nassarawa	„	„	
683	„ „ „ ..	15 „ „	„ „ „ ..	„	„	
684	„ „ „ ..	2 „ „	Jemaa „ ..	„	„	
685	„ „ „ ...	1½ „ „	Near „ „ ..	„	„	
686	„ „ „ ...	2½ „ „	Rafi Gaude „ ..	„	„	
687	Nigerian Plateau Ltd.... ...	8 „ „	Vom, Central ..	5th Dec. 1912	4th Dec. 1913	
688	S. G. Brounger Esquire ...	3·85 „ „	Kudaru, Zaria ..	5th Sept. 1912	4th Sept. 1913	Renewal of E. P. L. No. 323.
689	Nigeria Tin Corporation Ltd. ..	4·4 „ „	Womba River Nassarawa	24th Nov. 1912	23rd Nov. 1913	
690	„ „ „ ..	1 sq. ml.	Kadaura, Central ..	„	„	
691	West African Mines Ltd. ...	·26 sq. mls.	Bukuru, „ ...	„	„	
692	Naraguta (Nigeria) Tin Mines, Ltd.	·254 „ „	Naraguta „ ..	„	„	
693	„ „ „ ..	15·191 „	Near Mania Village, Centl.	„	„	
694	Offin River Gold Estates Ltd. ...	3¾ „ „	Near Fadias, Central ..	„	„	
695	Cancelled	—	—	...	...	
696	Offin River Gold Estates Ltd. ...	2½ „ „	Prusum River „ ...	„	„	
697	Jos Tin Area (Nigeria) Ltd. ..	1 sq. ml.	Ropp South „ ..	„	„	
698	Sybu Syndicate Ltd.	8·1 sq. mls.	Near Minna „ ..	„	„	
699	Munchi Exploration Ltd. ..	2 „ „	Arafu Muri, ...	„	„	
700	N. Nigeria (Bauchi) Tin Mines Ltd.	9 „ „	Bukuru, Central ..	„	„	
701	„ „ „ ..	1·4 „ „	„ „ ..	„	„	
702	Niger Company Limited	3·8 „ „	Near Fobro „ ..	13th Dec. 1912	12th Dec. 1913	
703	Niger Company, Ltd.	11·6 „ „	Runku River, Niger ..	13th Dec. 1912	12th Dec. 1913	
704	Exploring Lands and Minerals Co., Ltd ...	3 „ „	Gudi „ Nassarawa	24th Nov. 1912	23rd Nov. 1913	
705	Kaduna Syndicate Limited ...	2·93 „ „	Bukuru, Central ..	„	„	
708	West African Mines Ltd. ...	2 „ „	N'Gell „ ..	18th Oct. 1912	17th Oct. 1913	Renewal of E. P. L. No. 352.
709	N. T. Syndicate Limited ...	1 „ „	Rafin Crupina, Central ..	28th Dec. 1912	27th Dec. 1913	
710	„ „ „ ..	1 „ „	„ „ „ ..	„	„	
711	„ „ „ ..	1 „ „	„ „ „ ..	„	„	
712	Anglo-Continental Mines Limited	1¼ „ „	Jemaa, Nassarawa ..	24th Nov. 1912	23rd Nov. 1913	
713	Niger Company, Ltd.	4 „ „	Keana	16th Jan. 1913	15th Jan. 1913	
714	Tin Areas of Nigeria Limited ...	3 „ „	Jarawa River, Central ..	28th Sept. 1912	27th Sept. 1913	Renewal of E. P. L. No. 389.
716	Sir R. Pole-Carew	9 „ „	Sheila Creek „ ..	15th Sept 1912	14th Sept. 1913	„ „ „ 329.
717	Nigerian Plateau	2·32 „ „	Kuskie „ ..	23rd Nov. 1912	22nd Nov. 1913	„ „ „ 370.
718	Tin and Trading Company of Nigeria Ltd. ...	11½ „ „	Sha ... „ ...	26th Jan 1913	25th Jan. 1914	„ „ „ 400.
719	Tin Areas of Nigeria Limited ...	3 „ „	Jarawa River „ ..	24th Nov. 1912	23rd Nov. 1913	„ „ „ 472.
720	West African Mines Limited ...	6 „ „	N'Gell ... „ ...	18th Oct. 1912	17th Oct. 1913	„ „ „ 351.
721	N. Nigeria (Bauchi) Tin Mines ...	1 „ „	„ „ ..	10th Jan. 1913	9th Jan. 1914	„ „ „ 383.
722	Sybu Syndicate Ltd.	2.3 „ „	Cusil River „ ..	30th Oct. 1912	29th Oct. 1913	„ „ „ 354.
723	Cancelled	—	—	—	—	
724	N. Nigeria (Bauchi) Tin Mines ...	3 „ „	N'Gell, Central ...	10th Jan. 1913	9th Jan. 1914	Renewal of E. P. L. No. 384.

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No.	To whom granted.	Area.	Locality.	Date. From.	Date. To.	Remarks.
726	Sybu Syndicate Limited ...	15·87 „ „	Begel River, Central ..	30th Oct. 1912	29th Oct. 1913	Renewal of E. P. L. No. 355.
727	Benue (N. N.) Tin Mines Limited ..	1·32 „ „	Tipitchee River, Central...	11th July 1912	10th July 1913	„ „ „ 308.
728	„ „ ..	3 „ „	„ „ „ ...	„ „	„ „	„ „ „ 309.
730	Kaduna Syndicate Ltd. ..	3 „ „	Rimm „ „	22nd Oct. 1912	21st Oct. 1913	„ „ „ 362.
731	B. K. S. W. Syndicate Limited ..	3 „ „	Jarawa „ „	10th Feb. 1913	9th Feb. 1914	
732	Mertens & Co.	1 „ „	„ „ „	„	„	
733	„ „ ..	1 „ „	„ „ „	„	„	
736	L. H. L. Huddart	1·71 „ „	Koriga River, Niger	„	„	
739	West African Mines Ltd. ...	1·69 „ „	Bukuru, Central	13th Feb. 1913	12th Feb. 1914	
743	„ „ ..	2·94 „ „	„ „	10th Feb. „	9th Feb. „	
748	Naraguta (Nigeria) Tin Mines Ltd.	3·25 „ „	Ninkada, Nassarawa	12th Mar. „	11th Mar. „	
754	Jos Tin Areas Ltd.	1·3 „ „	Ropp South, Central	21st Feb. „	20th Feb. „	
766	H. Lancaster Hobbs ..	1 „ „	Jos „	7th Feb. „	6th Feb. „	
768	Sybu Syndicate Ltd.	6 „ „	Gelman River „	30th Oct. 1912	29th Oct. 1913	„ „ „ 356.

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MINING LEASES.

Letter of Lease.	Lease.	Area.	Locality.	Period.	Remarks.
ER	Naraguta Extended (Nig) Tin Mines Ltd. ..	80 acres	Delemi Valley, Central ..	21 years	
ES	Benue (Northern Nigeria) Tin Mines Ltd. ..	320 „	Duchin Gingia, Zaria ..	„	
ET	Ropp Tin Ltd.	666 „	Ropp, Central ..	„	
EU	Rayfield (Nigeria) Tin Fields Ltd.	251·34 „	Shen River	„	
EV	Filani (Nigeria) Tin Mining Co. Ltd.	33·06 „	Alli Stream	„	
EW	„ „	33·06 „	„ ...	„	
EX	„ „	33·06 „	„ ..	„	
EY	„ „	33·06 „	„ ..	„	
EZ	Tin Fields of Northern Nigeria Ltd.	450 „	Fedderi River, Central ..	„	
FA	Northern Nigeria (Bauchi) Tin Mines Ltd. ..	299·81 „	Gona Creek „ ..	„	
FC	West African Mines Ltd. ..	196.2 „	Bukuru „ ..	1 year	
FD	Sybu Syndicate Ltd.	252·5 „	Bowena River, „ ..	21 years	
FE	„ „	110 „	Kurufi „ „ ..	„	
FF	Cancelled	—	—	—	
FG	Rayfield (Nigeria) Tin Fields Ltd.	435·289 „	Forum River, Central ..	21 „	
FH	Kaduna Syndicate Ltd. ..	334.24 „	Arim „ „ ..	„	

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Appointments and Assumption of Duty.

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Capt. Joseph Mitchell Benson, R.A.M.C. ...	Medical Officer	Medical	16th Apl. 1913...	2nd May 1913.
Miss Gertrude Coupe	Nurse	do.	14th May „ ...	29th May 1913.

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Acting Appointments.

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. J. Chartres	Police	Commissioner of Police	1st January 1913.	
Mr. R. G. Bracken	do.	do.	do.	
Mr. J. G. Kirk	Public Works	Assistant Accountant, 1st Grade ...	9th January 1913.	

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Termination of Acting Appointments.

Name.	Acting Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. G. Malcolm	Resident Sokoto	Political & Administrative	3rd April 1913.	
Mr. K. V. Elphinstone	do. Ilorin	do. do.	27th April „	
Mr. J. Chartres	Commissioner of Police ...	Police	2nd May „	

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293 **Promotion.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
Sergt. W. C. Hughes, R.A.M.C.	Sergeant	Staff Sergeant	Medical	28th July 1912.

294 **Transfer.**

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Mr. F. H. H. Graves ...	Asst. Accountant, (2nd Grade) P.W.D. ...	Cyprus	Accountant, (Treasury) ...	5th April 1913.

295 **Resignation.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. A. W. Maxwell	Mechanician	Post and Telegraphs	25th December 1912.	

296 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months.	Days.	Months.	Days.			
Capt. C. F. Rowe ...	2nd Class Resident ...	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	30th Apl. 1913	—	Full salary.
Mr. K. Hamilton	Assistant Resident ...	2 ...	40 ...	2 ...	— ...	do.	—	do.
Capt. H. L. Norton-Traill ...	3rd Class Resident ...	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	1st May 1913	do.
Mr. H. A. Prankerd ...	Assistant Resident ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. H. B. Hermon-Hodge ...	do. ...	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mrs. J. G. Gordon (*nee* Potter)	Nurse Medical ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	7th May 1913	—	do.
Mr. T. Stone	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	2 ...	40 ...	2 ...	— ...	do.	—	do.
Mr. E. A. Weston ...	2nd Assistant Secretary ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	8th May 1913	do.
Mr. J. D. M. Bourne ...	Assistant Auditor ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Dr. F. W. Chesnaye ...	Medical Officer ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Dr. W. B. Johnson ...	do. ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	12th May 1913	do.
Mr. R. M. Blackwood ...	Assistant Resident ...	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	14th May 1913	—	do.
Mr. Y. Kirkpatrick ...	do. ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	15th May 1913	do.
Mr. R. C. Andrew ...	Asst. Superintendent of Agriculture ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Dr. R. H. Nolan	Medical Officer ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Sergt. E. A. Lane	Sergeant Medical ...	— ...	35 ...	— ...	35 ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. S. M. Grier	3rd Class Resident ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	22nd May 1913	do.
Mr. J. Radcliff	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Dr. W. G. Cobb	Medical Officer ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Invalided.								
Mr. M. Neill	Senior Transport Officer	— ...	50 ...	— ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. C. D. Clarke	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	8th May 1913	Full Salary. S. Leone.

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297 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Sergt. C. M. Pickup, R.A.M.C.	Sergeant Medical	2 month & 7 days ...	24th Nov. 1912	30th Jan. 1913	Ill-health. Army rate.
Mr. F. H. H. Graves ...	Assistant Accountant, 2nd Grade P. W. D.	17 days	19th March 1913	4th April "	Without salary.
NATIVE STAFF Mr. A. R. George ...	Asst. Chief Clerk, Treasury ...	1 month ...	24th April 1913	23rd May "	Half salary. Ill-health.

298 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Mr. E. C. Duff	2nd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	2nd May 1913.	
Capt. George Anderson	do.	do	do.	
Mr. T. A. G. Budgen	Assistant Resident	do.	do.	
Capt. W. M. Fowler	Commissioner of Police	Police	do.	
Mr. G. F. Mason	District Superintendent of Post and Telegraphs	Post and Telegraphs ...	do.	
Mr. P. de Putron	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	9th May 1913.	
Mr. E. A. Brackenbury	do.	do. do. ...	do.	
Mr. A. H. Groom	do.	do. do. ...	do.	
Mr. J. Finch	do.	do. do. ...	do.	
Dr. G. B. Norman	Medical Officer	Medical	23rd May 1913.	
Mr. D. Cator	3rd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Mr. E. W. Cocks	2nd Assistant Secretary	Chief Secretary's	29th May 1913.	
Mr. E. W. Dix	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	Police	30th May 1913.	

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299 **Powers of Commanding Officer.**

Under the provisions of Proclamation No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter XVIII, section 40, the Acting Commandant, Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, has, with the concurrence of the Governor, conferred the Power of Commanding Officer on the following Officers:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Whilst Commanding Detachment at	Date of Warrant.	Remarks.
Lieut. L. N. A. Mackinnon ..	1st Bn. N. N. Regt. ...	Kano	15th April, 1913.	
Capt. R. G. Coles	do.	Ilorin	24th April, 1913.	

300 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Lieut. Geoffrey Herbert Cecil Palmer, King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry	Company Officer... ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	9th April 1913 ...	26th April 1913.
Lieut. Borlase Edwards, Royal Garrison Artillery ...	do.	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	16th April 1913 ...	2nd May 1913.

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Leave of Absence

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LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Capt. J. G. Gordon ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	7th May 1913	— ...	Full salary.
Lieut. D. W Pawle ...	do.	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	14th May 1913	— ...	do.
Invalided. Lieut. H. N. Fairbank ...	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	— ...	10 ...	— ...	10 ...	— ...	1st May 1913	do
BRITISH N.C.Os.								
Sergt. A. C. Coveney ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	14th May 1913	— ...	do
Colour Sergt. A. E. Jones ...	1st Bn. N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 .	— ...	— ...	22nd May 1913	do.

Resumption of Duty.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Captain R. G. Coles	Company Commander	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	9th May 1913.
Lieut. F. C. Longbourne	Company Officer	M. I., N. N. Regt.	do.
Captain J. O. Hopkinson	Company Commander	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	23rd May 1913.
BRITISH N. C. Os.			
Sergeant W. Lynch	1st Rating Sergeant	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	16th May 1913.
Colour Sergt. M. Beirne	Colour Sergeant	do.	23rd May 1913.

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Promotions.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	With effect from.
Captain J. G. Gordon	Company Officer, 2nd Bn. N. N. Regt ...	Company Commander	16th March 1913.
BRITISH N.C.O.			
Sergeant D. Taylor	2nd Rating Sergeant, M.I., N. N. Regt...	1st Rating Sergeant	1st January 1913.

Re-absorptions.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of re-absorption into British Regiment.
Lieutenant G. Darwell	Company Officer	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	18th April 1913.
Lieutenant F. J. L. Cogan	Subaltern	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	2nd May "

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305 **CUSTOMS NOTICE.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a sale of the following unclaimed goods lying in the King's Warehouse, Lagos will be held at the Custom House, on Friday the 6th day of June 1913, at 9 o'clock a.m. precisely, under the provisions of Sections 102 and 268 of Customs Ordinance, 1908.

Packages not cleared before the 28th day of May 1913, will be opened and a list of contents published.

No Bill of Entry will be accepted after 3 p.m. on the 5th June 1913.

Mark or Address	Warehouse Date.	Number on Packages.	Quantity of Packages.	Name of Steamer.	REMARKS.
M.N.	8th Feb. 1913	1410	1 Case Polo Sticks	Elmina	
J. K. Fox	11th Feb 1913	—	1 Box Banjo	,,	
J. D. Thompson	30th Jan 1913	—	1 Bundle Camp Bed and Table	Dakar	
,,	30th Jan 1913	—	1 Tin Trunk	,,	
Dr. Loeper.	7th Feb. 1913	—	1 Case	Mandingo	
H.B.W.R/D708	14th Mar. 1913	—	13 Cases Wine	Shonga	
Capt. P. G. West	6th Mar. 1913	—	1 Parcel	Tarquah	
JF.S./466	10th Mar. 1913	5246	1 Case	Shonga	
JF.S./499	22nd Mar. 1913	5343	1 ,,	Arnfried	
,,	,,	5478	1 ,,	,,	
JF.S./501	,,	1079	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	5477	1 ,,	,,	
M.W.D.	,,	6985	1 ,,	,,	
JF.S./501	,,	5347	1 ,,	,,	
J.H.D.	31st Mar. 1913	6745	1 Bale	Falaba	
,,	,,	6748	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	6746	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	6747	1 ,,	,,	
C.J.H.S./2745	,,	1	1 Case	,,	
,,	,,	5	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	2	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	7	1 ,,	,,	
A.R.A.	,,	50	1 Package	Karina	
E.O.	31st Mar. 1913	136	1 Case	,,	
H.W.B.Co./5314	,,	46	1 ,,	,,	
C.J.H.S./2745	25th Mar. 1913	8	1 Case	Falaba	
,,	,,	12	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	6	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	3	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	11	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	4	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	13	1 ,,	,,	
H.R./556/4	,,	2	1 Crate	Banana	
,,	,,	3	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	1	1 ,,	,,	
H.H.L.M./7710	17th Mar. 1913	2	1 Case	Winnebah	
7610	22nd Mar. 1913	1	1 Case	,,	
H.R./BR./360	17th Mar. 1913	—	1 ,,	,,	
H.R./553/965	25th Mar. 1913	1	1 ,,	Tarquah	
H. & S.L./SN.	25th Mar. 1914	830.881	2 Cases	,,	
330	25th Mar. 1913	½	1 Package of 2	,,	
N.E.	,,	—	1 Box Soap	,,	
H.S.I.	17th Mar. 1913	3793	1 Case	Boulama	
M.Co./1608	22th Mar. 1913	1	1 ,,	Arnfried	
T.K.E.P.	31th Mar. 1913	405	1 ,,	Appam	
32 S.H.P. 692	31th Mar. 1913	1	1 ,,	,,	
John Walkden & Co.	26th Feb. 1913	—	1 Barrel Flour	Mendi	
B. L. Locket	4th Mar. 1913	—	1 Case	Aleonema	

As many of the marks are very indistinct, the Comptroller of Customs cannot hold himself responsible for the accuracy or sufficiency of the published marks

Custom House
Lagos.

W. K. DUNCOMBE,
Collector of Customs.

306 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

The attention of the Public is called to the following alterations to the Railway Tariff as published on October 15th, 1912, which have been duly authorised by the Director of Railways and Works and approved by the Governor in Council under Proclamation No. 3 of 1909 of Northern Nigeria, and which are now published as detailed.

Alterations.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Remarks.	Date to have effect.
Reduction in terminal to accord with the terminal charged at Iddo.	Vide Rate Circular No. 4 of 14th November 1912 page 12 of Govt. Gazette No. 1 of 15/1/3.	After the words "Yam Flour" insert the following words:— "Beans, Country Corn, and Groundnuts."	24	No alteration in rate. Textual alteration only.	1st December 1912.

By Order,

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
26th April, 1913.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 5th April 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 5th April 1913 ...	1,993	227	11,243	1,144	22	24	14,653
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,674	276	6,691	560	19	10	9,230
Increase ...	319	—	4,552	584	3	14	5,423
Decrease ...	—	49	—	—	—	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	27,770	4,375	136,076	16,620	276	365	185,482
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	22,046	3,944	69,649	13,861	281	83	109,864
Increase ...	5,724	431	66,427	2,759	—	282	75,618
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	5	—	—

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £16·07

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles	Zaria-Bahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,488	149	517	66	2,220
Goods	7,087	37	4,056	1,207	12,387
Telegraph	16	—	3	3	22
Sundries	16	3	4	1	24
Total for Week	8,607	189	4,580	1,277	14,653
Total for current year	114809	3,184	47,280	20,209	185,482
Corresponding period of 1912	86,445	2,545	20,552	322	109,864
Increase	28,364	639	26,728	19,887	75,618
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	140	925	77	2	1,144	For the Week 75
Total for current year ...	2,414	12,464	1,549	193	16,620	Total for current year .. 868
Corresponding period of 1912	2,213	8,022	619	2,407	13,861	Corresponding period of 1912... 789
Increase ...	201	3,842	930	—	2,759	Increase ... 79
Decrease ...	—	—	—	2,214	—	Decrease .. —

Ebute Metta,
24th April, 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 12th April 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 12th April 1913 ...	2,090	386	10,218	1,201	24	21	13,940
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,884	417	6,073	1,093	19	8	9,494
Increase ...	206	...	4,145	108	5	13	4,446
Decrease ...	...	31	...	...	...	...	...
Total for Current year to date ...	29,860	4,761	146,294	17,821	300	386	199,422
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	23,930	4,361	75,722	14,954	300	91	119,358
Increase ...	5,930	400	70,572	2,867	...	295	80,064
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £15·28

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Baro-Kano 356 miles.	Zaria-Bahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,798	145	367	166	2,476
Goods	7,640	57	2,260	1,462	11,419
Telegraph	17	1	3	3	24
Sundries	5	3	13	...	21
Total for Week	9,460	206	2,643	1,631	13,940
Total for current year	124,269	3,390	49,923	21,840	199,422
Corresponding period of 1912	93,974	2,744	21,995	645	119,358
Increase	30,295	646	27,928	21,195	80,064
Decrease	...	...	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	195	870	136	...	1,201	For the Week 73
Total for current year ...	2,609	13,334	1,685	193	17,821	Total for current year ... 941
Corresponding period of 1912	2,396	9,268	619	2,681	14,954	Corresponding period of 1912... 853
Increase ...	213	4,076	1,066	...	2,867	Increase 88
Decrease ...	...	...	...	2,488	...	Decrease —

Ebute Metta,
2nd May 1913.

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Actg. Chief Accountant.

F. H. WALLER,
Actg. General Manager.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 19th April 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 19th April 1913 ...	2,298	341	8,762	1,328	23	17	12,769
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,733	256	7,486	971	19	8	10,473
Increase ...	565	85	1,276	357	4	9	2,296
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for current year to date ...	32,158	5,102	155,056	19,149	323	403	212,191
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	25,663	4,617	83,208	15,925	319	99	129,831
Increase ...	6,495	485	71,848	3,224	4	304	82,360
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Mileage Open 912.
Mean Mileage Worked 912.
Average Receipts per mean mile £14.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Ido-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria to Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,893	158	486	102	2,639
Goods	7,126	37	1,735	1,192	10,090
Telegraph	17	...	1	5	23
Sundries	5	6	4	2	17
Total for Week	9,041	201	2,226	1,301	12,769
Total for current year	133,310	3,591	52,149	23,141	212,191
Corresponding period of 1912	102,394	3,029	23,440	968	129,831
Increase	30,916	562	28,709	22,173	82,360
Decrease	...	...	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAYS.	
	£	£	£	£	£		£
Total for the Week ...	314	923	91	...	1,328	For the Week	70
Total for current year ..	2,923	14,257	1,776	193	19,149	Total for current year ...	1,011
Corresponding period 1912 ...	2,569	9,944	619	2,793	15,925	Corresponding period of 1912	917
Increase ...	354	4,313	1,157	...	3,224	Increase	94
Decrease ...	...	...	...	2,600	...	Decrease	...

Ebute Metta,
8th May 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant.

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager

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Monthly Meteorological Return.

PLACE OF OBSERVATION	TEMPERATURE. Highest in the Shade.	Lowest in the Shade.	Mean.	Greatest Diurnal Variation.	Mean relative Humidity p.c.	RAINFALL. Total.	Maximum on one day.	Daily average.	No. of days on which rain fell.	Prevailing Wind.	OBSERVER
MARCH.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.			
Zungeru - -	105	65	86·3	38	54	—	—	—	—	E.	Dr. Manning.
Sokoto- - -	110	57	82·55	44	21	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Inness.
Nafada- - -	110	50	78·5	51	28	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Jeffreys.
Bauchi- - -	102	56	79·8	32	24	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Crichton.
Geidam - -	109	50	78·8	47	28	—	—	—	—	E.N.E.	Dr. Cobb.
Kano - - -	108	50	77·25	50	27	—	—	—	—	E.	Dr. McGahey.
Offa - - -	98	64	83	30	61	—	—	—	—	S.W.	Dr. Ross.
Lokoja- - -	101	64	82·49	34	53	·55	·55	·02	1	S.E.	Dr. Watson.
Baro - - -	108	70	88·8	34	46	·07	·07	·002	1	S.	Dr. Moiser.
Zaria - - -	105	50	76	50	28	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Taylor.
Jebba - - -	106	71	88	29	47	·15	·15	·005	1	S.	Dr. Beattie.
Wamba - -	105	60	84	37	44	—	—	—	—	E.	Dr. Morrison.
Kontagora - -	106	65	85·2	40	35	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Staff Sergeant Oliver.
Ilorin - - -	102	63	84·1	34	51	·14	·13	·00	2	S.W.	Dr. Twomey.
Naraguta - -	96	50	73	33	43	—	—	—	—	NE&E.	Drs. Parsons & Crichton
Kaduna - -	102	55	77·5	43	29	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Williams.
Katagum - -	109	50	80·1	51	29·3	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Chesnaye.
Maiduguri - -	111	55	80·1	46	29	—	—	—	—	NE&E.	Dr. McLeay.

31st May, 1913.

F. MANNING
Acting P. M. O.

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SUPPLEMENT TO

The Official Gazette.

No. 10 OF 1913.

CROP STATISTICS.

Bornu Province by Mr. Resident Dwyer, Gujba. November 1912.

Three farms were measured close to Gujba.

(1.) 44076 square yards of Maiwa 1200 square yards of groundnuts Maiwa 253 bundles 49 lbs. per bundle gross; 35½ lbs. threshed corn, 9981½ lbs,. or 1096 lbs. per acre. Two square yards of groundnuts produced 8 lbs. or 9680 lbs per acre green nuts. (Mr. Resident Dwyer's figures). 16 square yards of dry nuts 6½ lbs. or 1966 lbs. to the acre. (Mr. Assistant Resident Elder, December 1912 Report.)

(2.) 28870 square yards Maiwa which produced 103 bundles, gross weight per bundle 46 lbs. threshed weight 25 lbs. 2575 lbs. or 431 lbs. per acre.

(3.) 39676 square yards Maiwa which produced 230 bundles, 46 lbs. per bundle gross, threshed weight 32½ lbs. 7475 lbs. or 912 lbs. per acre.

One was the result of 2 men's and 1 woman's work.

Two and three were the work of 1 man and 1 woman on each.

No measure used on any of the farms.

Local value of Maiwa 3d. per "sa" of 25 lbs. and of groundnuts ½d. for 8 lbs. (Mr. Resident Dwyer's figures).

* By Mr. Resident W. B. Thomson, 1910.

Irrigated Crops.

—*Tobacco.*, is usually planted in very small plots and combined with "Gorrko," both plants being grown chiefly for the flower ("fure.") In some places the flower is worth a lot of money *e.g.* Uje, where the total yield of tobacco and flower per plant is said to be as much as 10 ratals (2/-) the yield of Gorrko is 12 ratals per plant. In other places the flower is of no local value *e.g.* Kanembu where for a few ratals a man may pick all the flowers on a tobacco plot. People come from Maiduguri to pick them and if they get back before the flower gets spoilt enormous profits are made.

A characteristic tobacco plot at Alo of the usual small size measured 112 square yards and contained 209 tobacco plants and 131 Gorrko plants. The value of this at the high Uje prices would be £3.

In some places, however, larger plots are planted At Marguba two such plots average about 2270 tobacco plants, and 180 Gorrko. At the same prices the value would be over £20. But I expect that at this distance from Maidguri we may safely say the value is a good deal smaller. Many of the flowers would be unsaleable. At Kanembu, where the flower is not locally used, little Gorrko is grown. There two plots averaged 3500 tobacco plants. The tobacco exclusive of the flower would be worth about 3 ratals a plant. The plot would therefore be worth about £7 10/-.

* This also Gazette No. 12 of 1912

It will be seen that tobacco averages are of little value.

2. *Gauta or Yalo* (irrigated.)

A plot of average size contained 540 bushes, worth 10 ratals each, value £4 10/-.

3. *Wheat* (irrigated.)

A plot average size gives about 30 saas. At Maiduguri prices, value would be £2.

4. *Onions.*

Usually combined with indigo. Value of average plot £2.

Wet season crops.

1. *Cotton.*

At Karaguaro average value of a farm (1920 bushes at 2 ratals each) £3.

At Yajua average value of a farm (1680 bushes at 2 ratals) £2 16/-, brought up by subsidiary crops to about £3.

At Ngornu, average farm (1 acre) value £4.

At Ngelega, average farm 1½ acres, value £6.

In most parts of Uje, the farms are so small as to be negligible, about 300 plants, value 10/-

Farms of this negligible character are not as a rule returned in the Register.

2. *Indigo.*

Average farm 1402 plants worth, at 5 ratals (1d.) each, about £5 16/-.

3. *Maize.*

Average farms 709 square yards. Reliable values have not yet been obtained by me.

4. *Beans.*

Average farms about one third of an acre. Values not obtained.

STATISTICS OF AVERAGE MILLET FARMS AND AVERAGE PRODUCT FOR 1910.

These Statistics refer only to farms cultivated by one man and one woman without help save that of infants.
In colums 10, fractions of ½ and over are treated as 1.

District.	Chief occupation of cultivator.	No. of Farms examined.	Variation in acreage.	Average acreage.	Product of fenced acres† in saas' ‡				Average product of average sized farm.	Remarks
					Good Land.	Middling.	Poor.	Average product.		
Geidam ...	Farming	15	6 acres to 1½	$3\frac{4}{5}$	29	22	15	22	84	The average of the five acreage products is just under 87 'saas' —90 'saas' might be taken as an easy estimate: 60 'saas' for the man, and 30 for the woman. At 15 'saas' the dollar (3/6) Zakka on this would be 1/- for the man and 6d for the woman.
Nguru ...	,,	15	4 ,, ,, 1½	$2\frac{4}{4}$	40	33	20	31	87	
Allanjurori ...	,,	10	4½ ,, ,, 1½	$3\frac{1}{10}$	43	32	18	31	96	
Borzari ...	,,	10	4½ ,, ,, 1½	$3\frac{1}{10}$	53	45	17	38	116	
Burgo ...	,,	15	5 ,, ,, 2½	$3\frac{3}{5}$	39½	29½	15	28	101	
Geidam ...	Industry	15	4½ acres to 1	$2\frac{3}{10}$	29	22	15	22	52	Average 65 'saas,' say 40 per man and 20 per woman, yielding Zakka of 9d and 6d.
Nguru ...	,,	10	4½ ,, ,, ¾	$1\frac{1}{10}$	40	33	20	31	57	
Allanjurori ...	,,	10	3½ ,, ,, 1	2	43	32	18	31	62	
Borzari ...	,,	10	5 ,, ,, 1	$2\frac{4}{10}$	53	45	17	38	89	

NOTE—The large variations in column 4 are partly due to at least one "old man's" farm being measured, in order to keep the average rather under than over. But the variations are in any case considerable.

‡ One 'Saa equal to 25 lbs.

Cost of living. The well-to-do peasantry can feed themselves well on 1d. a day per head. Many live on less.

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The average male peasant's yearly outfit is as follows:—

2 gowns [35 big strips of cotton each]
1 shirt [25 small strips]
2 pairs trousers [22 big strips]
1 tunic [10 big strips.]

At current prices the cost of the above outfit would be 11s. 7d.

A well-to-do peasant therefore lives on about £2 2s. a year.

The poorer classes probably live on under £1 a year.

Footnotes. In reference to the returns generally, one "saa" is equal to 25lbs.

In reference to Millet farms—particulars given were of farms where proper supervision was exercised.

Three acres fenced off at Alo near Maiduguri produced 45 'saas,' 46 'saas,' and 16 'saas,' of Millet respectively.

NIGER PROVINCE.

BIDA DIVISION. (By Mr. 3rd Class Resident Edwardes, January 1913.)

Measurements taken here gave the following results:—

Groundnuts. 1,500 to 2,240 lbs. per acre.

Price given at Badeggi for the decorticated nut £4 15s. 0d. per ton.
100 lbs. of undecorticated nuts yields 75 lbs. of decorticated nuts.
Decortication effected at the rate of from 5 to 7 lbs per head per hour.

Maiwa and Dawa. 240 lbs. and 400 lbs. of the same acre value 6/- and 10/- respectively or 16/- in all.

Masara. Grown in belts a few yards wide round the village where the soil is enriched.

I was on tour when this crop was harvested and have no figures.

Berkono or Yakagi. Only grown in small patches of a few square yards. None in the immediate vicinity of Bida.

Doya, Taba, Gwasoa, Abduga, Albassa, Leke, Rogo, no farms available for measurement.

2. The neighbourhood of Bida is peculiarly poor and the soil impoverished. A good dawa farm in a remote district would yield double.

AGAIE, LAPAI DIVISION.

(By Mr. Assistant Resident H. S. Berkeley, December 1912.)

No. 1. Field of 2,933 square yards gave 120 pounds of threshed guinea corn.
No. 2. Field of 5,200 square yards gave 180 pounds of threshed guinea corn.
No. 3. Field of 6,111 square yards gave 260 pounds of threshed guinea corn.

2. The first two fields turned out very disappointingly. The corn grew in a healthy and flourishing manner as to the stalk but the heads turned out to be very small.

KUTA DIVISION. (By Mr. Assistant Resident T. W. P. Dyer, January 1913.

Generally the yield of the staple crop (Dawa) this year has been poor chiefly owing to a blight the result of scarcity of the later rains.

2. Three farms, in the vicinity of Minna Station were measured with the following results:—

(*a*) 6,666 square yards producing 17 bundles at 60 lbs.
(*b*) 7,777 „ „ „ 16 „ „ „ „
(*c*) 16,666 „ „ „ 25 „ „ „ „

From the above figures the mean yield per acre is found to be 9 bundles.

3. I had an acre measured of what appeared to me to be crops more in accordance with the yield of a normal season. This acre produced 18 bundles at 60 lbs.

4. According to the time of year such a bundle costs from 1/- to 2/- or say a mean price of 1/9 as the lower price prevails but for a short period.

5. The ratio of threshed grain to stalk is 2 to 1.

6. According to the season the price of grain in bulk varies from 39 lbs. for 1/- to 39 lbs for 2/-, per mudu of 2.8 lbs from 1d. to 2d. per mudu.

7. Owing to the abundance of fresh ground for fields there is no necessity for manuring and improving.

KWONGOMA DIVISION. (By Mr. Assistant Resident G. L. Monk.)

Figures of the produce of measured farms at Kagara.

2. In all cases single-hoe farms have been chosen; though with considerable difficulty, as the "gayya" system or the communal family farms are the rule in this Division.

FARM A. (1 man & wife.)

4,000 square yards. 17 bundles of Dawa at 46 lbs each, each bundle producing 32 lbs of grain.

544 lbs of threshed grain. 5 bundles of Gero at 38 lbs each, each bundle producing 33 lbs of grain.

165 lbs of threshed grain.

FARM B. 1 young man (no wife.)

6,650 square yards. 20 bundles of Maiwa at 38 lbs each, each bundle producing 33 lbs of grain.

660 lbs of threshed grain. 6 bundles of Dawa at 46 lbs each, each bundle producing 32 lbs of grain.

192 lbs of threshed grain.

FARM C. (1 man & wife elderly.)

2,200 square yards of ground-nuts. 72 rows producing an average of 5 lbs of nuts per row 360 lbs of undecorticated nuts.

1200 square yards guinea corn. 4 bundles at 46 lbs each, each bundle producing 32 lbs of grain 128 lbs of threshed grain.

FARM D.

2500 square yards. 7 bundles of gero at 38 lbs per bundle, producing 33 lbs of grain each—231 lbs of threshed grain.

7 bundles of dawa at 46 lbs each, producing 32 lbs of grain each—224 lbs of threshed grain.

This man is Serikin Kasua of the Pagan Market outside Kagara town, but has two small boys (under farming age about 8 and 13 years old) to help him.

3. The local price for grain is 6d. for 32 lbs of guinea corn, or 33 lbs of Maiwa (or gero) after the harvest, rising to 1/3—in March and April.
Groundnuts averaged 3d. per 5 lbs.

The following therefore gives the mean value of the different crops.

Farm A.

22 bags of grain

11 at 6d. per bag.....	£0	5	6
11 at 1/3 „ „	£0	13	9
Total	£0	19	3

Farm B.

26 bags of grain

13 at 6d. per bag.....	£0	6	6
13 at 1/3 „ „	£0	16	3
Total	£1	2	9

Farm C.

4 bags of grain

2 at 6d. per bag.....	£0	1	0
2 at 1/3 „ „	£0	2	6
360 lbs of groundnuts at 3d. per 5 lbs	£0	18	0
Total	£1	1	6

Farm D.

14 bags of grain

7 at 6d. per bag.....	£0	3	6
7 at 1/3 „ „	£0	8	9
Total	£0	12	3

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Government Notice.

It is hereby notified for general information that His Honour CHARLES LINDSAY TEMPLE, C.M.G., Deputy Governor and Chief Secretary of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria, will leave Lagos for England, on Thursday the 5th instant.

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Commission.

L. S.

By His Excellency **Sir Frederick** *John Dealtry Lugard, G.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria, &c., &c.*

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME GREETING.

WHEREAS BY AN ORDER-IN-COUNCIL dated the 27th day of December 1899, and passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, provision was made for the administration of the Government of the territories of West Africa known as Northern Nigeria, and by further Orders-in-Council dated the 19th day of March 1908, and the 11th day of October, 1912, passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, making fresh provision for the administration of the Government of the said territories in the absence of the Governor and Commander-in-Chief, it is provided that, whenever the Governor is absent from the Seat of Government or is absent in the Protectorates of Southern or Northern Nigeria or is on a passage between any place in the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria or is absent from the Protectorates otherwise than on any such passage as aforesaid, he may by an Instrument under the Public Seal of the Protectorate appoint any person or persons to be his Deputy or Deputies within any part or parts of the Protectorate during such absence, and in that capacity to exercise, perform and execute for and on behalf of the Governor during such absence, all such powers and authorities by such Orders-in-Council or otherwise vested in the Governor as shall in and by such Instrument be specified and limited:

AND WHEREAS I intend to be absent from the Protectorate.

AND WHEREAS I am desirous of exercising the above recited power in connexion with such absence.

AND WHEREAS I have appointed CHARLES LINDSAY TEMPLE, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, to be my Deputy during my absence from the Protectorate.

KNOW YE THEREFORE THAT I, FREDERICK JOHN DEALTRY LUGARD, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Most Distinguished Service Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria, in the event of the said CHARLES LINDSAY TEMPLE being absent from the Protectorate, or incapacitated by sickness or otherwise from discharging the duties of my Deputy as aforesaid, do hereby appoint HERBERT SYMONDS GOLDSMITH Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George pending such absence or sickness as aforesaid to be my Deputy within the Protectorate; during my pleasure, and in that capacity during my pleasure to do and execute all such things belonging to the office of the Governor as are commonly done or executed by the Governor, subject always to the provisions of the said Orders-in-Council and to the instructions addressed by me to the said CHARLES LINDSAY TEMPLE for his guidance.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the PROTECTORATE OF NORTHERN NIGERIA, at Government House, Lagos, this 19th day of March in the year of our Lord, One thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

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THE boundary between Zaria and Central Provinces is amended as follows. From Damwa Hill to Kikin Hill it is formed by an artificial boundary running N. W. at about 345. From Kikin Hill the artificial boundary is continued running N. E. at about 55 until it reaches the Kurmin Giwa about a mile and half south of Giddan Gumbo from which point the boundary follows the Kurmin Giwa to its junction with the Kogin Rahama from which junction the Kogin Rahama forms the boundary as far as Rahama town.

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Townships.

JENGRE (Central Province) is hereby declared to be a Township of the 2nd Class.

315 **Customs Station.**

THE undermentioned Customs Station has been temporarily closed with effect from 1st June 1913 :—

Sokoto Province. Godabawa.

316 **Native Court.**

WARRANT establishing a Native Court under the Native Courts Proclamation with the approval of the Governor, under the Seal of the Protectorate, has been issued as under :—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of warrant.
Bassa ...	C	Judicial Council of Ankpa.	29th April 1913.

317 **Addition to G.S.O. No. 54.**

AMENDMENT NOTICE No. 39.

THE following will be added to G.S.O. No. 54 as paragraph: 3:—

Before any issues on payment are made from the Director of Public Works Store to Officers at Outstations either for themselves or for the Native Administration such Officers will be informed of the value by telegram and will be required to pay cash into the Local Treasury to the credit of the head concerned.

The Public Works Department at Lokoja or Zungeru should then be advised by telegram of the Treasury Receipt number.

On receipt of this information, and not before, the issue will be made.

318 **Errata.**

Notice No. 229 Gazette No. 8 of 1913, the date from which Mr. C. J. Ankrah's leave takes effect should have been 8th March 1913, and not as stated therein.

Page 209 Gazette No. 10 of 1913, Imperial Institute Report on Groundnuts from Northern Nigeria, for By Professor Wyndham, M. A., F.R.S., Director, read By "Professor Wyndham R. Dunstan, M. A., F. R. S., Director."

Notice No. 398 Gazette No. 10 of 1913, the date of resumption of duty of Messrs A. H. Groom, and J. Finch, Asst. Residents, was 16th May 1913 and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 618 in Gazette No. 19 of 15th October, 1912, the date of reabsorption of Captain H. M. Dillon, 2nd Bn., N.N. Regt., was 18th February, 1913, and not as stated therein.

Notice No 744 Gazette No. 23 of 1912, the date of reabsorption of Captain E. Stone, M.I., N. N. Regt., was 12th March, 1913, and not as stated therein.

By His Excellency's Command,
H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
14th June, 1913.

319 **Post Office Notice.**

WITH a view to reducing unnecessary correspondence by telegram the mail services between the stations served entirely by the Railways have been increased and accelerated.

Mails are exchanged every two days between such stations as Lagos, Ilorin, Jebba, Zungeru, Minna, Baro, Kaduna, Zaria, and Kano, and it is suggested that with matters in which much detail is involved it is better to correspond by letter than by telegram.

All Officers are therefore requested to use the telegraphs only when the mail services could not give the desired despatch and to confine the use of the telegraph to those matters where extreme urgency makes it necessary.

H. M. WOOLLEY,
Postmaster-General.

General Post Office,
Zungeru, 27th May, 1913.

320 **JUDICIAL NOTICES.**

In the Matter of the Estate of the late Mr. Paul, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Paul, deceased, who died at Katsina in the Kano Province on the 16th day of April, 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Resident H.de. C. Matthews, the Provisional Administrator at Katsina in the said Province on or before the 31st day of July, 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 21st day of May 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
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In the Matter of the Estate of the late Mr. J. William Quartey (Deceased.)

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324 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Mr. E. A. Weston *	2nd Assistant Secretary	Chief Secretary's ...	6th Dec. 1912 ...	6th Dec. 1912.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. James Dodd Servillosmith Broderick	2nd Class Clerk	Mines	27th Feb. 1913	Engaged locally.
Mr. Rogers Maulty Taylor	do.	Political and Administrative	1st June 1913 ...	do.

* Transferred from similar Appointment Southern Nigeria Secretariat.

325 **Acting Appointment.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. H. S. Goldsmith, C.M.G. ...	Political and Administrative	Chief Secretary	4th June 1913.	

326 **Confirmation of Appointments.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Mr. K. Hamilton	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative	30th March 1910.	
Mr. W. Morgan	do.	do. do.	do.	

327 **Promotions.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
Lieut. B. E. M. Waters ...	Assistant Resident	3rd Class Resident	Political & Administrative	1st January 1913
Capt. T. W. P. Dyer ...	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
Mr. T. F. Carlyle	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
Mr. C. Wightwick	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
Mr. L. H. E. Blake ...	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
Mr. J. H. C. Elder ...	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
Mr. N. M. Gepp	do.	do.	do. ...	do.

328 **Permanent Staff.**

The following Native Official, having completed three years service is placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the date stated against his name:—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. S. O. A. Macfoy	Assistant Chief Clerk	Chief Secretary's	18th August 1900.	

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329 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months.	Days.	Months.	Days.			
Mr. H. M. Frewen ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	29th May 1913	Full salary.
Mr. G. F. Price	Assistant Treasurer	— ...	50 ...	— ...	50 ...	—	do.	do.
Dr. L. Doudney	Medical Officer	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. J. Glentworth ...	Fitter, P. W. D.	2 ...	60 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. H. H. Brealy	Inspector of Works, P. W. D. ...	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. C. L. Temple, C.M.G. ...	Chief Secretary	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ..	—	5th June 1913	do.
Mr. H. M. Irwin	3rd Assistant Secretary	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Invalided. Mr. A. E. Goodwin ..	Assistant Keeper of Gaols ...	— ...	15 ...	— ..	15 ...	—	do.	do.

330 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Mr. H. S. Goldsmith, C.M.G. ...	1st Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	28th May 1913.	
Mr. E. H. Morris	Auditor	Audit	5th June 1913.	
Mr. H. J. Miller-Stirling ...	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
NATIVE STAFF. Mr. W. P. Baffoe	1st Class Clerk	do. do ...	18th May 1913.	

331 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Mr. Y. Kirkpatrick	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	Lower Standard Final ...	12th May 1913.

332 **English Examination.**

Under the provisions of G. S. O. No. 52, para. 4, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.	Remarks.
NATIVE SOLDIERS.				
No. 736 Coy. Sergt. Maj. Amadu Arbashi	"B" Coy., M. I., N. N. Regt. ...	Lower Standard	16th April 1913. ...	
„ 147 Sergeant Towai Doncardo ...	do. do. ...	do.	do. ...	
„ 1200 Private Musa Bornu ...	do. do. ...	do.	do. ...	
„ 1235 „ Awdu Sakadadi ...	do. do. ...	do.	do. ...	

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Powers of Commanding Officer.

Under the provisions of Proclamation No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter XVIII, section 40, the Acting Commandant, Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, has, with the concurrence of the Governor, conferred the Powers of Commanding Officer on the following Officers:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Whilst Commanding Detachment at	Date of Warrant.	Remarks.
Captain E. E. White	1st Bn. N. N. Regt. ...	Kano	13th May 1913.	
Lieut. A. A. Cummins	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Ankpa	3rd May 1913.	

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Appointments and Assumption of Duty.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Captain Edward Erskine White, Northamptonshire Regiment	Company Commander ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	23rd April 1913.	9th May 1913.

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE

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Leave of Absence

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Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Lieut. A. H. Giles... ...	1st Bn. N. N. Regt.	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	5th June 1913	Full salary.
Invalided. Capt. G. C. Kelly	do.	— ...	10 ...	— ...	10 ...	—	do.	do
BRITISH N.C.O. Colour Sergt. A. M. Jarvis ...	Mounted Infantry, N. N. Regt. ...	— ...	45 ...	— ...	45 ...	—	29th May 1913	do.

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Resumption of Duty.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Captain A. B. Priestley	Company Commander	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	5th June 1913.

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337 **CUSTOMS NOTICE.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a sale of the following unclaimed goods lying in the King's Warehouse, Burutu will be held at the Custom House, on Saturday the 28th day of August 1913, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, under the provisions of Sections 102 and 268 of Customs Ordinance, 1908.

Packages not cleared before the 26th day of June 1913, will be opened and a list of contents published.

No Bill of Entry will be accepted after 3 p.m. on the 27th August 1913.

Mark or Address.	Warehouse Date.	Number on Packages.	Quantity of Packages.	Name of Steamer.	Remarks.
R. Walter ...	10th Mar. 1913	2	1 Case	Mendi	
W.A.S./Co. ,,	,,	1276	1 ,,	Ancobra	
W. E. Blackett	22nd Mar. 1913	—	1 ,,	Falaba	
S. B. Ibeneyun...	,,	—	1 ,,	,,	
T. A. N. ...	,,	5309	1 ,,	Sangara	
H. H. ...	,,	9366/9	4 ,,	,,	
S. & Co. ...	27th Mar. 1913	3	1 ,,	Caldergrove	
H. S. ...	28th Mar. 1913	—	1 ,,	Karina	
A.W.M. ...	,,	602/3	2 Bales	,,	
,, ...	,,	179	1 Bale	,,	
,, ...	,,	176/7	2 Cases	,,	
,, ...	,,	178	1 ,,	,,	
,, ...	,,	158/671	10 Cases	,,	
C. ...	,,	172/19	20 ,,	,,	
		ARMS AND AMMUNITION.			
P. S. ...	10th Oct. 1912	4520	1 Case Cartridges	Tarquah	To be sold to holders of Licence.
F.T.H.B/40 ...	11th June 1912	48	1 ,, ,,	Nigeria	
,, ...	20th Sept. 1912	46	1 ,, ,,	,,	
D.M.B A/5616 ...	11th Nov. 1912	—	1 Case Rifle	Dakar	
W. ...	10th Feb. 1913	1949	1 Case Gun	Nigeria	
R.C.H.—Ozu ...	14th Feb. 1913	528	1 Case Cartridges	Abosso	
—	10th Feb. 1913	1950	1 ,, ,,	—	
F.T.H.B/733 ...	20th Feb. 1913	—	1 Case Gun	Mandingo	
,, ...	,,	2/3	2 Cases Cartridges	,,	
B.A.B. ...	7th Mar. 1913	—	1 ,, ,,	Boulama	
H.C.M. ...	18th Mar. 1913	2994	1 Case Gun	Tarquah	
,, ...	,,	2995	1 ,, Cartridges	,,	
H.W.B. Co/4715	4th Oct. 1912	3	1 ,,	Caldergrove	
C. & S. ...	31st Oct. 1912	1824	1 ,,	Aro	
S. P. B. ...	2nd Nov. 1912	—	1 ,,	Karina	
G. ...	11th Nov. 1912	153	1 Keg	Tarquah	
N.C/4963 ...	12th Nov. 1912	—	1 ,,	Bassa	
Stanley Boyd ...	27th Jan. 1913	—	2 Boxes	Mandingo	
P.C. ...	7th Mar. 1913	—	1 Case	Boulama	

As many of the marks are very indistinct, the Collector of Customs cannot hold himself responsible for the accuracy or sufficiency of the published marks

Custom House
Forcados,
12th May 1913.

J. W. PONTIFEX,
Collector of Customs.

338 **Return of Licenses issued by the Cantonment Magistrate, Lokoja, during the Quarter ending 31st March 1913.**

No. of License.	Name of Firm.	Station.	Description of License.	Period.	Amount.	Remarks.
17—1	Messrs Holt & Co. ...	Lokoja ...	To export Rubber	For 1913	£5	
9—16	,, Pagenstecher & Co.	,, ...	To purchase Rubber	,,	5/-	
9—22	,, Holt & Co. ...	,, ...	do. ...	,,	5/-	
16—13	,, Pagenstecher & Co.	,, ...	To export Rubber ...	,,	£5	
1—20	,, Christian & Co. ...	,, ...	To sell wines & liquors	,,	£25	
1—21	,, Pagenstecher & Co.	,, ...	do. ...	,,	£25	
1—22	,, Holt & Co. ...	,, ...	do. ...	,,	£25	

339 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.** (FORM A)

The attention of the Public is called to the following alterations to the Railway Tariff as published on October 15th, 1912, which have been duly authorised by the Director of Railways and Works under Proclamation No. 9 of 1912 Section 2 of Northern Nigeria, and which are now published as detailed.

Alterations.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Remarks.	Date to have effect.
Page 113 of Goods Tariff.	Tins, Empty See Empty Returns.	Tins (Returned Empties) See Empty Returns.	25	No alteration in rate. Textual alteration only.	1st March 1913.
Page 77 of Goods Tariff.	Cocoanut Husks.	Husks, See Cocoanut Fibre.	25	Do.	Do.

By Order,

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
19th May, 1913.

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340 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 26th April 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 26th April 1913 ...	2,175	491	9,212	880	23	5	12,786
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,106	709	7,009	2,428	21	59	12,332
Increase ...	69	...	2,203	...	2	...	454
Decrease ...	...	218	...	1,548	...	54	...
Total for Current year to date ...	34,333	5,593	164,268	20,029	346	408	224,977
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	27,769	5,326	90,217	18,353	340	158	142,163
Increase ...	6,564	267	74,051	1,676	6	250	82,814
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £14·02

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Baro-Kano 356 miles.	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,788	155	591	132	2,666
Goods	7,025	81	1,155	1,831	10,092
Telegraph	17	...	2	4	23
Sundries	3	...	2	...	5
Total for Week	8,833	236	1,750	1,967	12,786
Total for current year	142,143	3,827	53,899	25,108	224,977
Corresponding period of 1912	112,743	3,249	24,882	1,289	142,163
Increase	29,400	578	29,017	23,819	82,814
Decrease	...	...	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	131	748	...	1	880	For the Week 68
Total for current year ...	3,054	15,005	1,776	194	20,029	Total for current year 1,079
Corresponding period of 1912	2,673	10,627	619	4,434	18,352	Corresponding period of 1912... 959
Increase ...	381	4,378	1,157	...	1,676	Increase 120
Decrease ...	...	...	...	4,240	...	Decrease —

Ebute Metta,
15th May 1913.

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Actg. Chief Accountant.

F. H. WALLER,
Actg. General Manager

341 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 3rd May 1913.

PERIOD	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 3rd May 1913 ...	2,359	438	11,565	1,162	25	9	15,558
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,834	288	6,433	1,052	20	5	9,632
Increase ...	525	150	5,132	110	5	4	5,926
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	36,692	6,031	175,833	21,191	371	417	240,535
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	29,603	5,614	96,650	19,405	360	163	151,795
Increase ...	7,089	417	79,183	1,786	11	254	88,740
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Mileage Open 912
Mean Mileage Worked 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £17·06.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

PARTICULARS.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba-North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,663	151	905	78	2,797
Goods	9,445	84	1,962	1,236	12,727
Telegraph	17	1	2	5	25
Sundries	5	—	2	2	9
Total for week	11,130	236	2,871	1,321	15,558
Total for current year	153,273	4,063	56,770	26,429	240,535
Corresponding period of 1912	120,564	3,481	26,124	1,626	151,795
Increase	32,709	582	30,646	24,803	88,740
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the week ...	160	940	52	10	1,162	For the Week 70
Total for current year ...	3,214	15,945	1,828	204	21,191	Total for current year 1,150
Corresponding period of 1912	2,789	11,247	619	4,750	19,405	Corresponding period of 1912 1,009
Increase ...	425	4,698	1,209	—	1,786	Increase 141
Decrease ...	—	—	—	4,546	—	Decrease —

Ebute Metta,
22nd May, 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Actg. Chief Accountant.

F. H. WALLER,
Actg. General Manager.

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SUPPLEMENT TO
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No. 11 of 1913.

CROP STATISTICS.—YOLA PROVINCE.

Yola, by Mr. 2nd Class Resident G. W. Webster, December 1912.

Yield of farm. Near Yola in marshy land.

Crop. Guinea Corn. *Area* 9 acres 3 rods.

Yield on stalk. 38 cwt. 84 lbs. *Threshed grain* 29 cwt. 18 lbs.

Gross value. at average price of 2/6 per cwt. threshed £3. 12. 11.

Working expenses. Seed corn @ 1 cwt. to 3 acres 9/5; labour 2 men and 3 women @ 2d. p.d., 3 children @ 1d. for 30 days hoeing, sowing, weeding, reaping and carrying 12/6. Threshing at usual wage of 20% of threshed grain 14/7.

Gross expenses £1. 16. 6. *Net profit* £1. 16. 5.

This farm was flooded this year, the whole crop affected and ½ acre absolutely ruined. The average yield for the previous 3 years was 150 "Sillaje" 75 cwt. The working costs would be increased by say 4 day's work in carrying and the extra threshing only.

By Mr. Assistant Resident S. H. P. Vereker, December 1912.

Yield of farms (Jimeta).

1. *Crop*:—Groundnuts. Area of farm: 1 Acre.

Amount of Crop reaped:—28 Baskets of 32 "cash bowls" each *i.e.* 896 "cash bowls"

Value of Crop reaped:—Average price 3d. per 9 Cash Bowls *i.e.* £1. 4. 0.

Working Expenses of Farm:—(1) Value of seed per acre 1/- (2) 16 days labour @ 6d. per diem for hoeing, cleaning, sowing, reaping 8/-. (3) Extras 1/-. Total working Expenses of Farm 10/-. Profit made 24/- minus 10/- *i.e.* 14/- per acre.

Crop:—Rice. Area of farm:— 1 acre. Amount of Crop reaped:—4,000 lbs. (1 ton 14 cwt. & odd). Value of rice, average about 5 lbs. for 3d. Value of Crop Reaped:— £10 (on average prices). Working expenses of farm:—(1) Value of seed per acre. 8/- (2) Hired labour £1. 5/- (3) Owner's labour, 80 days at 6d. per diem £2. (4) Emergencies 7/- Total Working Expenses £4. Profit made:— £10 minus £4. *i.e.* £6.

Note:— This probably represents the *maximum* profit as rice prices are high at present locally.

By Mr. Assistant Resident Ackland, December 1912.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
District.	Area.	Crop.	Yield.	Weight.	Threshed.	Weight.
Marghi.	3 acres	Dawa	75 bundles	2475 lbs.	28 bushels.	13 cwt.
Uba.	3 „	Jigari	70½ „	2400 „	25 „	13 „

Note:— The figures in columns 5 to 7 are only approximate, the bundles from the actual farms measured were not weighed or threshed as no weighing machine was available at the time. The figures are taken from sample bundles of similar size obtained later. As the size of bundles, and relation of bundle to basket is very constant throughout these Districts the figures are probably fairly accurate.

NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 21.

Official Zungeru, 26th May, 1913.

SAILINGS; Liverpool, 21st May:—

Mr. H. J. M. Stirling, Assistant Resident, Mr. E. H. Morris, Auditor, Capt. A. B. Priestley, N.N.R.

SAILINGS; Burutu, 21st May:—Nil.

Lagos, 22nd May:—

Mr. S. M. Grier, 3rd Class Resident, Mr. J. Radcliff, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Mr. M. Neill, Senior Transport Officer, Colour Sergt. A. E. Jones, N.N.R., Dr. W. G. Cobb, Medical Officer.

ARRIVALS; Lagos, 23rd May:—

Mr. D. Cator, 3rd Class Resident, Dr. G. B. Norman, Medical Officer, Capt. J. O. Hopkinson, Colour Sergt. M. Beirne, N.N.R.

Burutu, 24th May:—Nil.

POSTINGS:—Stirling Sokoto.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 22.

Official Zungeru, 30th May, 1913.

SAILINGS; Liverpool, 28th May:—

Mr. J. G. Bagge, Technical Instructor, Education, Mr. E. Cork, Telegraph Inspector, Post & Telegraphs, Mr. G. McGregor, Asst. Resident, Dr. A. J. T. Swann, Medical Officer.

SAILINGS; Liverpool, 28th May:—Nil.

Lagos, 29th May:—

Mr. H. M. Frewen, Asst. Resident, Mr. G. F. Price, Asst. Treasurer, Dr. L. Doudney, Medical Officer, Mr. J. Glentworth, Fitter, P. W. D., Mr. H. H. Brealy, Inspector of Works, P. W. D., Colour Sergt. A. M. Jarvis, N. N. R.

ARRIVALS; Lagos, 28th May (German Mail):—

Mr. H. S. Goldsmith, C.M.G., 1st Class Resident.

Lagos, 29th May:—

Miss. G. Coupe, Nurse, Medical, Lieut. J. L. S. Ewing, N. N. R., Mr. E. W. Cocks, 2nd Assistant Secretary.

Burutu, 30th May:—

Mr. E. W. Dix, Assistant Commissioner of Police.

POSTINGS:—McGregor Kabba.

NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 23.

Official Zungeru, 6th June, 1913.

SAILINGS; Liverpool, 6th June, 1913.

Mr. Nicol, Assistant Superintendent of Agriculture, Major J. E. C. Blakeney, 2nd Class Resident, Capt. J. ff. Hopkinson, Assistant Resident, Mr. L. R. Bradley, Assistant Accountant, 1st Grade, P.W.D.

SAILINGS; Burutu, 4th June:— Nil.

Lagos, 5th June:—

Mr. C. L. Temple, C.M.G., Chief Secretary, Capt. G. C. Kelly, Lieut. A. H. Giles, N. N. R. Mr. H. M. Irwin, 3rd Assistant Secretary, Mr. A. E. Goodwin, Assistant Keeper of Gaols.

ARRIVALS; Lagos, 5th June:—

Mr. H. J. Miller Stirling, Asst. Resident, Mr. E. H. Morris, Auditor, Capt. A. B. Priestly, N. N. R.

Burutu, 6th June:—Nil.

POSTINGS:— Blakeney Kontagora, Hopkinson Bornu, Elphinstone from Ilorin to Niger.

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No. 10. **EXTRAORDINARY.**

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THE following Order by His Majesty in Council "the Colonial Prisoners' Removal Order in Council 1913" dated the 11th day of April 1913 is published for general information.

AT THE COURT AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE,
The 11th day of April, 1913.

Present.

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY

LORD PRESIDENT — LORD CHAMBERLAIN
VISCOUNT ALLENDALE — MR. J. A PEASE.

HIS MAJESTY, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this behalf vested in Him by the Colonial Prisoners' Removal Act, 1884, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to make the following Order as to the removal of prisoners and criminal lunatics to Ireland under the said Act:

The Colonial Prisoners' Removal Order in Council, 1907, shall if the prisoner or criminal lunatic to be removed under the said Act is to be detained in Ireland, be amended as follows, that is to say:—

1. A Secretary of State shall transmit one copy of the Order of Removal and one copy of the Notification of Concurrence to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland for record in Dublin Castle, instead of transmitting them to the Home Office.

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II. For the forms numbered III., IV., IX., and X., in the Schedule to the Order of the 9th day of September, 1907, there shall be substituted the forms similarly numbered in the Schedule to this Order, or forms to the like effect varied as circumstances may require.

III. This Order shall commence and come into operation on the first day of May, 1913.

IV. Nothing lawfully done as regards Ireland under the Colonial Prisoners' Removal Order in Council, 1907, shall be prejudiced by this Order.

V. This Order may be cited as "The Colonial Prisoners' Removal Order in Council, 1913."

ALMERIC FITZROY.

SCHEDULE referred to in the foregoing Order in Council.

III.—WARRANT FOR REMOVAL OF A PRISONER TO IRELAND.

COLONIAL PRISONERS' REMOVAL ACT, 1884.

To *C.D.*, the Keeper of the Prison, and to *E.F.*, and *G.H.*

Whereas an order has been made under the Colonial Prisoners' Removal Act, 1884, by one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, with the concurrence of the Government of the Colony (or Protectorate or) of for the removal of *A.B.*, a prisoner now in custody of you, the said *C.D.*, under a sentence of penal servitude (or imprisonment or, as the case may be) for the term of years from the day of (or for life), to the United Kingdom there to undergo the residue of the said sentence.

Now I do hereby, in pursuance of the said Act, order you the said *C.D.*, to deliver the body of the said *A.B.*, into the custody of the said *E.F.*, and *G.H.*, or one of them; and I do hereby, in further pursuance of the said Act, authorize you, the said *E.F.* and *G.H.*, or either of you, to receive the said *A. B.* into your custody, and to convey him to the

United Kingdom, and to deliver him to such person or persons as shall be empowered by the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland to receive him for the purpose of giving effect to the said Order of Removal.

And for so doing this shall be your warrant.

Given under the hand of the undersigned, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries State (or Governor of), this day of 19

IV.—WARRANT OF RECEPTION OF A PRISONER IN IRELAND.

COLONIAL PRISONERS' REMOVAL ACT, 1884.

BY THE LORD LIEUTENANT GENERAL AND GENERAL GOVERNOR OF IRELAND.

Whereas was on the day of 19 convicted in the Court of and sentenced to of the crime of

And whereas in pursuance of the provisions of the Colonial Prisoners' Removal Act 1884, an Order has been made by one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, with the concurrence of the Government of the Colony (or Protectorate, or) of for the removal of the said to the United Kingdom, there to undergo the residue of his sentence; and whereas the Governor of the Colony (or Protectorate, or) of by a warrant under his hand ordered the said to be conveyed to the United Kingdom and delivered to such person or persons as shall be empowered by the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland to receive him for the purpose of giving effect to the said Order of Removal.

Now we, , Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland, do hereby authorize and empower the Governor of His Majesty's Prison , and all persons acting under his orders, to receive and detain the said for the purpose of giving effect to the said Order of Removal; and we do further authorize and empower the Governor of any other of His Majesty's Prisons to which the said may be removed

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from Prison and all persons acting under his orders to receive and detain the said for the purpose of undergoing the residue of his sentence in such Prison.

Given at His Majesty's Castle of Dublin this day of 19 .

BY HIS EXCELLENCY'S COMMAND.

IX.—WARRANT FOR REMOVAL OF CRIMINAL LUNATIC TO IRELAND.

COLONIAL PRISONERS' REMOVAL ACT, 1884.

To *C.D.*, the keeper of Lunatic Asylum, and to *E.F.* and *G.H.*

Whereas an Order has been made under the Colonial Prisoners' Removal Act, 1884, by one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, with the concurrence of the Government of the Colony (o'r Protectorate, or) of for the removal of *A.B.*, a criminal lunatic now in the custody of you, the said *C.D.*, to the United Kingdom, to be there dealt with in the same manner as if he had become a criminal lunatic in the United Kingdom.

Now I do hereby, in pursuance of the said Act, order you, the said *C.D.*, to deliver the body of the said *A.B.* into the custody of the said *E.F.* and *G.H.*, or one of them; and I do hereby, in further pursuance of the said Act, authorized you, the said *E.F.* and *G.H.*, or either of you, to receive the said *A.B.* into your custody, and to convey him to the United Kingdom and to deliver him to such person or persons as shall be empowered by the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland to receive him for the purpose of giving effect to the said Order of Removal.

Given under the hand of the undersigned, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State (or the Governor of), this day of 19 .

X—WARRANT OF RECEPTION OF A CRIMINAL LUNATIC IN IRELAND.

COLONIAL PRISONERS' REMOVAL ACT, 1884.

BY THE LORD LIEUTENANT GENERAL AND GENERAL GOVERNOR OF IRELAND.

Whereas is in custody in as a criminal lunatic, having been charged with the offence of and found to be insane at the time of such offence (or to be unfit on the ground of insanity to be tried for such offence) (or having been convicted of the offence of and sentenced to and afterwards certified (or lawfully proved) to be insane):

And whereas in pursuance of the provisions of the Colonial Prisoners' Removal Act, 1884, an order has been made by one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, with the concurrence of the Government of the Colony (or Protectorate, or) of for the removal of the said to the United Kingdom, there to be detained as a criminal lunatic until he shall have ceased to be a criminal lunatic, or shall otherwise lawfully be discharged:

And whereas the Governor of the Colony (or Protectorate, or) of by a Warrant under his hand, ordered the said to be conveyed to the United Kingdom and delivered to such person or persons as shall be empowered by the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland to receive him for the purpose of giving effect to the said Order of Removal:

Now we, , Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland, do hereby authorize and empower the Governor of the Central Asylum at Dundrum, and all persons acting under his orders, to receive and detain the said in the same manner as if he had become a criminal lunatic in the United Kingdom, until His Majesty's Pleasure be further known concerning him.

Given at His Majesty's Castle of Dublin this day of 19 .

BY HIS EXCELLENCY'S COMMAND.

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(No. 9. of 1910 Schedule Chapter 68.)

The Igbirra and Kukuruku districts of the Kabba Province are declared to be unsettled.

The Minerals Proclamation
(No. 9 of 1910, Schedule, Chapter 64 Sec. 34.)

The Rules and Regulations contained in the Schedule to the above Proclamation are hereby amended as follows:—

Rule 21 is revoked.

By His Excellency's Command,

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
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H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
26th June 1913.

AT THE COURT AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE,
The 7th day of May, 1913.

Present,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY

LORD PRESIDENT	LORD CHAMBERLAIN
MARQUESS OF LINCOLNSHIRE	LORD EMMOTT.

WHEREAS by virtue of certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, dated 28th day of February, 1906, providing amongst other things, for the government of the Colony of Southern Nigeria (in this Order referred to as "the Colony"), His late Majesty King Edward the

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Seventh reserved to Himself, his heirs and successors, the right, with the advice of His or their Privy Council, of making laws for the peace, order and good government of the Colony:

And whereas by treaty, grant, usage, sufferance, and other lawful means, His Majesty has power and jurisdiction over the Protectorates of Northern Nigeria and Southern Nigeria (in this Order referred to as "the Protectorates"):

And whereas by Order in Council dated the 28th day of July, 1906, as amended by Orders in Council dated respectively the 9th day of September, 1907, the 19th day of October, 1908, and the 2nd day of August, 1910, His Majesty made provision respecting the currency in the Colony and the Protectorates:

And whereas by Orders in Council dated respectively the 10th of June, 1843, the 30th of June, 1852, and the 28th of November, 1874, Her late Majesty Queen Victoria made provision with respect to the rates at which certain foreign coins were to pass current in the Colony, and those coins are no longer legal tender in the Colony:

And whereas it appears to His Majesty to be expedient to make provision respecting the currency of the Colonies and the Protectorates:

Now, THEREFORE, His Majesty, in pursuance of all powers vested in Him in that behalf, and in particular, so far as relates to the Colony, of the powers reserved to Him by the said Letters Patent, and, so far as relates to the Protectorates, of the powers vested in Him by the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1.—(1) The British gold sovereign of the fineness and weight specified in the First Schedule to the Coinage Act, 1870, as amended by section two and the Schedule of the Coinage Act, 1891, shall be the standard coin of the Colony and of the Protectorates.

(2) Every contract, sale, payment, bill, note, instrument, and security for money, and every transaction, dealing, matter, and thing whatsoever relating to money or involving the payment of or the liability to pay any money, shall, in the absence of express agreement to the contrary, be deemed to be made, executed, entered into, done and had in the Colony and Protectorates, according to the standard coin.

2.—(1) There shall be coined under the direction of the Master of His Majesty's Royal Mint in England, for use in the Colony and in the Protectorates, as well as in His Majesty's other colonies, protectorates, and territories in West Africa, silver coins of the denomination, and of the standard weight and of the composition specified for that purpose in the First Schedule to this Order, and, if the Treasury and a Secretary of State think fit, such other silver coins of such denominations and of such standard weight and composition as the Treasury and the Secretary of State may approve.

(2) The silver coins so coined (in this Order referred to as "the local silver coins") shall be of such design and shall have such impressions as may be approved by the Master of the Mint and by a Secretary of State.

(3) A remedy or variation from the standard weight and from the standard fineness shall be allowed in the case of the local silver coins of an amount not exceeding that specified in the First Schedule to this Order.

(4) The local silver coins shall be current in the Colony and in the Protectorates, and the tender of payment of money in the Colony and in the Protectorates, if made in any of those coins, shall, if the Coins have not been illegally dealt with and have not become diminished in weight by wear or otherwise so as to be of less weight than the weights specified in that behalf in the First schedule to this Order as the least current weight, be a legal tender for the payment of any amount, the florin, shilling, sixpence, and threepence being treated respectively as equal to one-tenth, one-twentieth, one-fortieth, and one-eightieth part of the standard coin.

(5) If any coins other than those specified in the First Schedule to this Order are coined in pursuance of this article, they shall not become legal tender under this Order until after such dates as may be fixed as respects the Colony and the Protectorates respectively by the Governor of the Colony by a proclamation made with the approval of Treasury and a Secretary of State setting forth in each case in a schedule the same particulars with respect to each coin as are set forth in the First Schedule to this Order, and as from the date of any such proclamation this Order shall have effect as though the coins to which the proclamation relates and the particulars with respect thereto set forth in the schedule to the proclamation were included in the First Schedule to this Order:

Provided that every such coin shall be of the millesimal fineness of nine hundred and twenty-five, and of a standard weight bearing the same proportion to the weight of the other local silver coins as the denomination of the new coin bears to that of those coins respectively.

3. Article 2 and Article 4 of the above-mentioned Order in Council of the 28th day of July 1906 shall have effect as though references therein to that Order included references to this Order.

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4. The Interpretation Act, 1889, shall apply for the purpose of the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the purpose of the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

5. The Orders in Council specified in the Second Schedule to this Order are hereby revoked as from the commencement of this Order so far as they relate to the Colony.

6.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Nigeria Coinage Order, 1913.

(2) It shall come into operation in the Colony and the Protectorates respectively on the day on which it is proclaimed by the Governor of the Colony in each of those areas respectively.

And the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, and the Right Honourable Lewis Harcourt, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, are to give the requisite directions herein accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

SCHEDULES.

FIRST SCHEDULE.
LOCAL SILVER COINS.

Denomination of Coin.	Standard Weight.		Standard Fineness.	Least Current Weight.		Remedy Allowance.		
	Imperial Weight. Grains.	Metric Weight. Grammes.		Imperial Weight. Grains.	Metric Weight. Grammes.	Weight per Piece.		Millesimal Fineness.
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Florin	174·54545	11·31036	Thirty-seven fortieths fine silver, three fortieths alloy; or millesimal fineness 925.	172·0	11·145	0·997	0·0646	4
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HIS Excellency the Governor has much pleasure in announcing that His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to confer upon Colonel Edward Peter Strickland, D.S.O., Commandant, N. N. Regt., the Companionship of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

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THE Secretary of State has ruled that, when an Assistant Resident has been conditionally promoted under special circumstances without having passed the prescribed Language Test, he will be permitted to draw the Duty Allowance, but not the increased salary, of a 3rd Class Resident. (C.O. 13/5/13.)

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Tuition in the Hausa language in England.

THE attention of Officers is invited to the fact that instruction in the Hausa language is given at King's College (University of London) Strand W.C.

Information can be obtained from the College as to the classes held, and fees charged for tuition.

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Customs Code Amendments.

Page 24. Insert after paragraph 192*c*. the following :—

192*d*. It has been decided that all cheques handed in at Koko are to be made payable to the Treasurer and be crossed "Not Negotiable."

192*e*. The Post Office Official at Koko is to pay in all money received by him to the Supervisor and remittances are to be made to Sapele twice a week, if possible.

Page 27. Insert after paragraph 226*c*. the following :—

226*d*. For the convenience of persons proceeding through Northern Nigeria it has been arranged that the Comptroller of Customs at Lagos should issue Firearm Licences on behalf of that Administration to persons travelling by the Nigerian Railway to places beyond British Territory.

226*e*. A return of any such licences issued is to be rendered half yearly to the Chief Secretary, Zungeru, and care is to be taken to see that the fees received are credited to the Northern Nigeria Administration.

346 **Native Court.**

WARRANT establishing a Native Court under the Native Courts Proclamation with the approval of the Governor, under the Seal of the Protectorate, has been issued as under :—

Province.	Grade	Name of Court.	Date of warrant.
Niger ...	C	Alkali's Court of Jebba.	29th May 1913.

The Warrant establishing Judicial Council of Jebba (Niger Province) dated 1st October 1912, is cancelled.

347 **Errata.**

Notice No. 195 Gazette No 7 of 1913, the date of promotion of Mr. S. G. Mensah on transfer to the Agriculture Department is 1st January 1913 and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 221 Gazette No. 8 of 1913, the extension of leave granted to Mr. J. L. Anderson, 2nd Class Clerk and Operator, was on half salary and not as stated therein.

The Notice of reabsorption into his British Regt. of Lieut. G. Darwell, which appeared in Notice No. 304 Gazette No. 10 of 1913, is hereby cancelled.

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Disallowance of Proclamation.

THE Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies has notified the Governor that His Majesty has been advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the following:—

No. 4 of 1913 entitled "A Proclamation to empower the Government to acquire freehold lands from the Niger Company Limited when required for public purposes."

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Allowance of Proclamation.

THE Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies has notified the Governor that His Majesty will not be advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the following:—

No. 6. of 1913 entitled "The Pensions Amendment Proclamation 1913."

350 **Obituary.**

THE Deputy Governor announces with deep regret the death of Capt. I. G. Sewell, The Royal Fusiliers and 1/Bn., Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, which occured at Zungeru on the 28th June 1913.

By His Excellency's Command,
H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
30th June, 1913.

351 **Post Office Notices.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and from the 1st of July 1913 the words "SERMINE NARAGUTA" will be registered as the Official Telegraphic Address of the Officer Commanding Minefields Survey Party in Northern Nigeria.

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NOTICE No. 397 Gazette No. 13 of 1912, is hereby cancelled and the following substituted:—

Foreign and Colonial Parcels for delivery in Northern Nigeria must bear an indication shewing whether in the event of the non-acceptance of the parcel at the time it is tendered for delivery or of failure to withdraw it from the Post Office within 21 days after the issue of a notice of its arrival at the office of destination it shall be (*a*) treated as abandoned or (*b*) returned to the country of origin at the senders expense.

No other alternative will be permissible.

H. M. WOOLLEY,
Postmaster-General.

353 **The Patents Proclamation.**

[No. 9 of 1910 Chapter XXVI.]

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 10 of the above Proclamation that the Registrar of Patents has received from Mr. Fredrick Lamplough of 53A Pall Mall, London England, an application for the grant of a Patent for an invention entitled "Improvements in or relating to a process and apparatus for the conversion of heavy hydrocarbons into lighter hydrocarbons."

The Complete Specification of the invention has been accepted.

The application and Complete Specification are open for public inspection at the Patent's Office during Office hours.

Any person desiring to oppose this application must send to the Registrar of Patents notice of such opposition within three months from the date hereon.

Dated the 30th day of May, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Registrar of Patents.

Patent's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

354 **JUDICIAL NOTICE.**

In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. Joe Onyah, (alias Abacha) Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Joe Onyah deceased, who died at Minna in the Niger Province on the 24th day of May 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Resident T. W. P. Dyer the Provisional Administrator at Kuta in the said Province on or before the 31st day of July–1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 5th day of June 1913.

C. D. NELSON.
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

355 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Mr. John George Bagge ...	Technical Instructor ...	Education	28th May 1913	13th June 1913
Mr. Ernest Cork ...	Telegraph Inspector ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	do.	do.
Mr. R. Nicol ...	Assistant Superintendent of Agriculture ...	Agriculture	4th June 1913	21st June 1913

356 **Acting Appointment.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. R. A. Lloyd ...	Public Works	Executive Engineer ...	1st January 1913.	

357 **Confirmation of Appointment.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Mr. P. de Putron ...	Assistant Resident ...	Political and Administrative ...	24th November 1909.	

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358 **Termination of Appointments.**

Name	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Miss M. G. Denton	Nurse	Medical	18th December 1912.	Expiration of Service.
Miss C. E. Rennie	do.	do.	22nd May 1913.	do.

359 **Promotions.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
Mr. M. J. D. Beresford ...	Junior Assistant Secretary ...	3rd Assistant Secretary	Chief Secretary's ...	1st April 1912.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. Parker Benin ...	2nd Class Clerk, N. N. Regt. ...	1st Class Clerk	Medical	28th April 1913.

360 **Permanent Staff.**

The following Native Official, having completed three years service is placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the date stated against his name:—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. R. A. Clerk	2nd Class Clerk	Chief Secretary's	8th June 1910.	

361 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months.	Vacation. Days.	Return. Months.	Return. Days.	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Mr. H. M. Woolley ...	Postmaster-General	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	12th June 1913	Full salary.
Mr. P. L. Collisson ...	Assistant Auditor	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. E. G. M. Dupigny ...	2nd Class Resident	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	19th June 1913	do.
Dr. P. W. Black	Medical Officer	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. R. C. Abossey ...	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	24th April 1913	Full salary. Accra.
Mr. W. S. Broderick ...	Assistant Chief Clerk, Chief Secretary's	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	22nd May 1913	do. Sierra Leone.
Mr. J. W. Smith	1st Class Clerk, do.	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	do.	do. do.
Mr. E. A. Williams ...	1st Class Clerk, Medical	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	do.	Full salary Lagos (left Zungeru 22nd May 1913).

362 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Mr. J. Finch	Assistant Resident	3 weeks & 10 days ...	30th March 1913	29th April 1913	
NATIVE STAFF.					
Mr. J. L. Anderson ...	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	1 month ...	4th May 1913	3rd June 1913	Without salary.

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363 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Dr. A. J. T. Swann	Medical Officer	Medical	13th June 1913.	
Mr. G. McGregor	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative	14th June 1913.	
Major J. E. C. Blakeney	2nd Class Resident	do.	21st June 1913.	
Capt. J. ff. Hopkinson	Assistant Resident	do.	do.	
Mr. L. R. Bradley	Assistant Accountant (1st Grade)	Public Works	do.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. V. A. Pratt	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative	14th March 1913.	
Mr. S. E. Coker	1st Class Clerk	do. do.	14th May 1913.	
Mr. A. R. George	Assistant Chief Clerk	Treasury	29th May 1913.	

364 **Resignation.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. F. M. Sam	1st Class Clerk	Medical	27th April 1913.	

365 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. R. A. Clerk	2nd Class Clerk	Chief Secretary's	Colloquial Test	27th May 1913.
Mr. T. P. P. Hughes	1st Class Compositor	Printing	do.	do.

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366 **Appointment and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Lieutenant John Ludovic Stewart Ewing, Royal Highlanders	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	14th May 1913.	29th May 1913.

367 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Lieut. J. W. Chamley	1st Bn. N. N. Regt.	2	—	2	—	—	12th June 1913	Full salary.
Lieut. G. L. E. Sherlock	Mounted Infantry, N. N. Regt.	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Lieut. R. S. Paton	2nd Bn., N. N Regt.	2	10	2	—	25th June 1931	—	do.
Lieut. G. V. Breffit	do.	2	—	2	—	do.	—	do.
Lieut. & Adjt. M. H. S. Willis	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2	30	2	—	—	27th June 1913	do.
Lieut. H. H. Kennedy	do.	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
BRITISH N.C.Os.								
2/Sergt. J. Thomson	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2	—	2	—	11th June 1913	—	do.
Sergt. Major A. Vermeulen	Mounted Infantry, N. N. Regt.	2	10	2	—	—	12th June 1913	do.
Col. Sergt. E. Doubleday	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2	30	2	—	—	26th June 1913	do.

368 **Extension of Leave.**

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Captain O. Oakes	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	1 month	18th May 1913	17th June 1913.	Ill-health. Half salary.
Lieut. G. Darwell	do. do.	4 months & 21 days	18th April 1913	7th Sept. 1913.	Ill-health. Army rate.

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369 Half Yearly Return of Deceased Estates Accounts on deposit in the Protectorate Treasury at 31st December 1912.

No.	Name.	Amount. £	s	d.	Remarks.
1	Estate of Samuel Barrow ...	1	5	3	Deposited March 1908.
2	„ P. A. Macfoy	0	5	0	Balance of Deposit in Aug. 1908
3	„ Sokai	1	0	0	Deposited October 1908.
4	„ W. T. Hammond ...	0	0	10	„ March 1909.
5	„ A. E. Johnson ...	0	19	8	„ May 1909.
6	„ Anthony	0	9	1	„ June 1909.
7	„ T. A. Thompson ...	1	0	0	Balance of Deposit in Sept. 1909.
8	„ E. P. Taylor	6	18	3	Deposited October 1909.
9	„ Musa Sokoto (Police Constable) ...	22	15	0	„ November 1909.
10	„ Quaye	1	12	5	„ „ „
11	„ Maidoki	1	14	7	„ December 1909.
12	„ T. Green	5	17	10	„ February 1910.
13	„ S. Taylor	0	2	0	„ March 1911.
14	„ Carrier Amadu ...	2	0	0	„ April 1910.
15	„ C. O. C. Hayes ...	0	17	6	„ June, 1910.
16	„ W. Cook	54	19	11	„ August 1911.
17	„ Audu (Shunter) ...	0	1	0	„ September 1911.
18	„ T. J. Jacks	1	5	3	„ October 1911.
19	„ H. E. Lawson ...	19	2	0	„ „ „
20	„ joseph Obidiki ...	11	19	0	„ March 1912.
21	„ Quamina Acquah ...	7	4	9	„ April „
22	„ E. U. T. Lawrie ...	70	8	0	„ April May and July 1912.
23	„ D. A.Campbell ...	57	16	11	„ August and Sept. 1912.
24	„ Peter Hughes... ...	21	16	4	„ May and October „
25	„ H. Adams	3	10	8	„ May „
26	„ A. S. Mead	72	15	8	„ June and October „
27	„ R. Cardiff	39	14	3	„ November „
28	„ A. McClintock ...	109	6	0	Deposited in September „
29	„ Borzoi	0	4	0	„ „ „
30	„ F. R. Davies	1	3	1	„ „ „
31	„ C. Stephenson ...	39	1	8	„ October and Nov. „
32	„ J. P. Acquah	7	0	10	„ October „
33	„ I. R. Bennett ...	91	19	7	„ October and Nov. „
34	„ H. H. Lee	63	0	1	„ October and Dec. „
35	„ E. C. Hides	26	10	0	„ October and Nov. „
36	„ G. T. Fox	21	19	6	„ November „
37	„ H. Gordon Lewer ...	3	2	9	Balance of Deposit in Nov. „
38	„ G. P. Dodsworth ...	37	4	6	Deposited in December „
39	„ Mohamma Matida ...	28	1	9	„ „ „
40	„ W. D. Leigh	0	17	4	„ „ „
41	„ Odibo (Shunter) ...	2	3	0	„ „ „
		839	5	3	

Treasury, Zungeru,

J. H. BRATT,
Treasurer.

370 List of unclaimed Baggage left behind at Burutu.

Date.	By whom left.	Description of Baggage.	Owners unknown.
27-6-11	J. S. Browne ...	1 Wood box	2 Wood boxes
7-11-11	C. Woolfe ...	2 Chop boxes	3 Tables (broken)
22-5-12	Dr. Pirie ...	1 Wood box	3 Storm lanterns (bad)
„	Dr. M. F. Ellis ...	1 Chop box	1 Venesta chair
		1 Folding table	1 Table (broken)
		1 Chair	1 Empty box
		1 Wood box	1 Wood box
23-1-12	C. M. Dunn ...	1 Lord's lamp	1 Leather chair (bad)
		1 Open box utensils	1 Green bag (rotten)
30-5-11	J. A. Lee-Greaves	1 Uganda table	1 Pol. Camp chair
2-1-12	F. B. Hanson ...	1 Bed (local made)	1 Tin basin
9-5-12	P. Lyons ...	1 Chop box	1 Load broken tables
		1 Table and basin	2 Loads old pots
29-2-12	B. M. Flood ...	1 Load chairs	1 Load chairs
		1 Tiffen basket	1 Cook's box
		1 Lord's Lantern	1 Box utensils (G.B.N
14-11-11	P. C. Conran ...	1 Table	1 Pol. bedding
„	B. Batty ...	3 Boxes	2 Wood boxes
		1 Pol. Chair	1 Table C. W.
		1 Bag	
19-9-11	F. W. Bell ...	2 Chairs	
		2 Chop boxes	
	Mr. Gosden ...	1 Open box tins	
9-10	J. Forbes ...	1 Box	
10-10-11	J. Gardener ...	4 Wood boxes	
		1 Lamp box	
		1 Green bag	
	G. H. Brown ...	4 Wood boxes	
		1 Table	
		1 Lamp box	
24-10-11	P. Bradney ...	1 Table	
	H. A. Thompson ...	1 Table	
	E. Bancroft ...	1 Box	
	Sergt. Kenson ...	1 Pol. table and chair	
	H. W. Lawson ...	1 Table	

371 NIGERIAN RAILWAY. (FORM B)

The attention of the Public is called to the following alterations and additions to the Railway Tariff as published on October 15th, 1912, which have been duly made by the Director of Railways and Works under Proclamation No. 9 of 1912 Section 2 of Northern Nigeria, and which are now published as detailed.

Alterations.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.	Remarks.
Page 65 of Goods Tariff.	Firewood from Birnin Yaro to Zaria 1st Class (see para. 37 page 45 of Tariff)	(1/- per truck per mile) 26/-	32	17th May 1913.	
Page 69 of Goods Tariff.	Firewood from Gimi Dabosa to Zaria 1st Class (see para. 37 page 45 of Tariff)	(1/- per truck per mile) 21/-	32	Do.	

By Order,
F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
23rd May, 1913.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 10th May 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 10th May 1913 ...	2,169	287	10,445	1,188	23	10	14,122
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,843	286	6,191	984	22	7	9,333
Increase ...	326	1	4,254	204	1	3	4,789
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for current year to date ...	38,861	6,318	186,278	22,379	394	427	254,657
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	31,446	5,900	102,841	20,389	382	170	161,128
Increase ...	7,415	418	83,437	1,990	12	257	93,529
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Mileage Open 912.
Mean Mileage Worked 912.
Average Receipts per mean mile £15·48

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria to Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,783	189	365	119	2,456
Goods	9,052	45	1,678	858	11,633
Telegraph	17	1	1	4	23
Sundries	4	3	1	2	10
Total for Week	10,856	238	2,045	983	14,122
Total for current year	164,129	4,301	58,815	27,412	254,657
Corresponding period of 1912	128,144	3,760	27,233	1991	161,128
Increase	35,985	541	31,582	25,421	93,529
Decrease	...	...	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAYS.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	229	927	32	...	1,188	For the Week 75
Total for current year ..	3,443	16,872	1,860	204	22,379	Total for current year ... 1,225
Corresponding period 1912 ...	2,865	11,827	812	4,885	20,389	Corresponding period of 1912 1,059
Increase ...	578	5,045	1,048	...	1,990	Increase 166
Decrease ...	...	...	...	5,681	...	Decrease ...

Ebute Metta,
29th May 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant.

T. H. M. BONELL,
for Acting General Manager

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 17th May 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 17th May 1913 ...	2,317	208	8,955	1,144	21	12	12,657
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,045	431	5,829	1,567	11	170	10,053
Increase ...	272	—	3,126	—	10	—	2,604
Decrease ...	—	223	—	423	—	158	—
Total for Current year to date ...	41,178	6,526	195,283	23,523	415	439	267,314
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	33,491	6,331	108,670	21,956	393	340	171,181
Increase ...	7,687	195	86,563	1,567	22	99	96,133
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £13·88

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,839	171	430	85	2,525
Goods	7,709	74	1,290	1,035	10,099
Telegraph	16	1	1	3	21
Sundries	8	1	2	1	12
Total for Week	9,563	247	1,723	1,124	12,657
Total for current year	173692	4,548	60,538	28,536	267,314
Corresponding period of 1912	136408	4,075	28,342	2,356	171,181
Increase	37,284	473	32,196	26,180	96,133
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	254	872	18	—	1,144	For the Week 70
Total for current year ...	3,697	17,744	1,878	204	23,523	Total for current year .. 1295
Corresponding period of 1912	2,940	12,543	932	5,541	21,956	Corresponding period of 1912... 1106
Increase ...	757	5,201	946	—	1,567	Increase ... 189
Decrease ...	—	—	—	5,337	—	Decrease .. —

Ebute Metta,
5th June, 1913.

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant

T. H. M. BONELL,
Acting General Manager.

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QUARTERLY SUMMARY ZUNGERU NATIVE TOWN ACCOUNTS.

FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 31ST MARCH 1913.

1913	Payments.	£	s.	d.
	Political and Administrative			
	By Salary of Serikin Zungeru	30	0	0
	P. W. D. Extraordinary			
	„ Special Sanitary Improvement	144	4	0
	P. W. D. Recurrent.			
	„ Sanitary Service (Recurrent)	35	6	0
	Legal and Judicial.			
	„ Salary Alkali	9	0	0
	„ ,, Mallam Jafiro	6	0	0
	„ ,, ,, Jia	4	10	0
	„ ,, ,, Abubakare	2	5	0
	Police.			
	„ Salary 4 Dogarai	12	0	0
	„ Subsistence to Prisoners	5	15	0
	„ Balance —	0	16	10
		219	16	10

H. C. HALL,
Cantonment Magistrate.

1913	Receipts.	£	s.	d.
	To Balance —	44	13	8
	Head 1.—Land Revenue.			
	„ Land Rents including Quorra town	38	0	6
	„ Miscellaneous —	117	7	6
	Head 3.—Fines of Court.			
	„ Receipts from Native Court —	19	15	2
		219	16	10

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Monthly Meteorological Return.

PLACE OF OBSERVATION	TEMPERATURE. Highest in the Shade.	Lowest in the Shade.	Mean.	Greatest Diurnal Variation.	Mean relative Humidity 9 a.m.	RAINFALL. Total.	Maximum on one day.	Daily average.	No. of days on which rain fell.	Prevailing Wind.	OBSERVER
FEBRUARY.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.			
Yola	104	70	86·6	32	56	—	—	—	1	N.W.	Dr. Pollard.
MARCH.											
Yola	108	65	86·7	33	60	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Pollard.
Ibi	105	64	86·3	38	40	—	—	—	—	S.W.	Dr. Trumper.
Birnin Kebbi	108	54	81·5	42	47	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Black
Katagum	109	50	80·6	57	29·3	—	—	—	—	N.E.	Dr. Chesnaye.
Ankpa	99	66	83·5	29	54	·05	·05	—	1	S.W.	Dr. Johnston.
APRIL.											
Zungeru	106	67	87·5	31	74	4·47	1·80	·149	8	S.W.&S.	Dr. Manning
Sokoto	113	66	91·9	45·0	28	—	—	—	—	S.W.	Dr. Inness
Nafada	110	58	89·1	49	48	1·26	1·06	0·04	4	S.&S.W.	Dr. Jeffreys
Bauchi	103	56	86·3	45	45·1	1·01	·925	·033	4	S.W.	Dr. Crichton.
Geidam	116	61	91·1	51	27	·35	·35	·01	3	S.W.	Dr. Porteous.
Kano	113	60	84·4	46	35	—	—	—	—	S.W.	Dr. McGahey.
Lokoja	101	69	85·93	29	63	4·61	1·16	·15	8	S.E.	Dr. C. E. S. Watson.
Baro	108	74	89·7	30	58	1·54	·69	·05	7	S.W.	Dr Moiser.
Offa	100	67	81·9	29	72·6	2·71	·98	·09	8	S.W.	Dr. Ross.
Zaria	101	57	81·9	42	64	3·00	1·65	·10	5	S.W.	Dr. Taylor.
Ilorin	102	67	83·7	29	67	4·58	1·78	·15	13	S.W.	Dr. Twomey.
Katagum	115	62	89·8	51	43	2·20	1·63	·073	2	S.E.	Dr. Beattie.
Kontagora	106	66	88·0	37	49	1·82	·70	·06	4	W.	Staff Sergeant Oliver
Yola	108	75	90·4	32	62	2·63	1·29	·087	3	W.	Dr. Pollard.
Maiduguri	115	64	89·7	48	33	1·10	1·10	·036	2	E&S.W	Dr. McLeay.
Wamba	100	67	83·4	28	66	3·58	1·36	·119	8	W.&S.W.	Dr. Doudney
Naraguta	97	56	76·3	40	53	2·31	·80	·077	7	S.W.&E.	Dr. Parsons.
Jebba	106	72	89·9	28	58	·59	·40	·019	5	S.W.	Dr. Ellis
Ibi	104	70	86·1	33	65·1	2·26	1·43	0·07	7	S.W.	Dr. Trumper.
Ankpa	97	67	81·3	28	76	4·52	1·45	·15	7	S.W.	Dr. Johnston.
Kaduna	101	62	83·5	36	57	2·16	·80	·072	8	S.W.	Dr. Williams.
Birnin Kebbi	109	63	89·2	43	55	3·32	3·32	·110	1	S.W.	Dr. Black.

30th June, 1913.

F. MANNING
P. M. O.

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SUPPLEMENT TO
The Official Gazette.
No. 12 of 1913.

IMPERIAL INSTITUTE.
(South Kensington, London.)

WORK CONDUCTED AT THE IMPERIAL INSTITUTE DURING THE YEAR 1912, FOR THE PROTECTORATE OF NORTHERN NIGERIA.

REPORTS on the following subjects were furnished by the Imperial Institute during 1912 to the Government of Northern Nigeria as the result of investigations conducted in the Scientific and Technical Department, supplemented when necessary by reference to commercial experts.

Cotton. A sample of indigenous cotton from Kazaure, Kano Province, which was identified as a form of *Gossypium arboreum*, Linn., was of good useful character and was valued nominally at about the same price as "middling" American cotton. A further sample, apparently of the same variety, was valued nominally at 7½d per lb. with "middling" American at 7d per lb. A third sample received was of similar appearance to the cotton from Kazaure, but it was not quite so long and decidedly coarser; it was however of useful character and could probably be much improved by cultivation.

Fibres. Specimens of "Binni" fibre and thread were found to be similar in every respect to samples previously examined at the Imperial Institute, which were valued in 1911 at £13 to £14 per ton with "fair current" Manila hemp at £20. 5/- per ton. The fruiting stems of the plant yielding "Yawa" fibre were found to contain strong bast fibre which might possibly serve as a substitute for hemp.

Botanical specimens of both "Binni" and "Yawa" plants, received from Northern Nigeria, were submitted to Kew, where it was found that they were botanically identical, both being *Vigna sinensis*, Endl.

A sample of "Cheyi" fibre (*Polygala butyracea*) from the Muri Province was very strong and clean, and was stated by commercial experts to be equal in value to fine Bombay hemp, the normal value of which is about £17 to £18 per ton, though at the date of the valuation (April 1912) the price was as high as £26 to £27 per ton.

Oilseeds. A sample of "Cheyi" seed (*Polygala butyracea*) yielded 37·9 per cent of a soft yellowish fat. Makers of edible fats stated that the fat would be suitable for their purposes if the seed were proved to contain no poisonous constituents, and valued the seed at about half the price of copra, the current value of which in the United Kingdom was £25 to £28 per ton (November 1912). A firm of oilseed crushers also reported very favourably on the seed and expressed a desire to purchase a trial consignment at £12 per ton.

Gums. Specimens of the gum-bearing trees "Chiriri" "Tawasa" and "Doka" were identified at Kew as *Combretum sp, Entada sudanica* and *Isoberlinia Doka* respectively.

Feeding-Stuffs. Specimens of "dawa" (millet) and "gero" (guinea corn) plants, collected at different stages of growth, were examined in connection with the investigation as to the reported toxic properties of these plants.

Ivory nuts. A sample of Doum palm nuts was of good quality, and resembled specimens from the Sudan previously examined at the Imperial Institute. The demand for these nuts for button-making is very limited, owing to the existence of the central cavity, but nuts of good size are saleable in small quantities in Italy.

Minerals. A mineral specimen from Kadera consisted of almost pure monazite and contained 3·08 per cent of thoria (Th02). A specimen of the concentrate from which this this monazite was obtained was found to contain about 60 per cent of tinstone, about 25 per cent of ilmenite, and 6 or 7 per cent of monazite. A further specimen of tinstone-monazite concentrate was found to contain only 0.95 per cent of thoria, but a specimen of hand-picked monazite submitted at the same time contained 6.90 per cent of thoria (Th02) and would consequently find a ready market in Europe.

Miscellaneous. Information was also furnished to the Government and to Officers of the Administration regarding "ben" oil, henna (*Lawsonia inermis*), Kano cloth, and supposed graphite. A number of enquiries made by commercial firms in the United Kingdom regarding Northern Nigeria products were also dealt with during the year. 28th April 1913.

THE following reports received from the Director of Imperial Institute dated 13th May 1913 on samples of gum from the Bornu Province are published for general information:—

IMPERIAL INSTITUTE.
OF THE
United Kingdom, the Colonies and India.

South Kensington, London, S.W.
13th May, 1913.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose a report on samples of gum from Bornu Province, which were forwarded to the Imperial Institute by the Acting Chief Secretary at Zungeru with letter No. 2934/1907 dated the 10th February 1912.

In forwarding this report I desire to take the opportunity of acknowledging the very useful work that has been accomplished by the Political Officers in Bornu Province in connection with the investigation of the gun-producing trees of that area, since the study of this question was first taken up at my suggestion in 1908. A great deal of information has been collected, which forms a valuable supplement to my Memorandum of February 10th, 1908, copies of which were forwarded by the Colonial Office on the 5th March 1908 to the Officer Administering the Government of Northern Nigeria.

I am glad to learn that the Director of Agriculture is turning his attention to this subject, and I would ask that this report may be communicated to him.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Wyndham R. Dunstan.

His Excellency the Governor,
Northern Nigeria.

IMPERIAL INSTITUTE.

Results of the Examination of 'Golawai' Gum (Acacia Campylacantha, Hochst.) from Northern Nigeria.

Imperial Institute No. 43365-1. Date 13th May 1913.

Reference. Letter No. 2934/1907 dated 10th February 1912 from the Acting Chief Secretary to Government at Zungeru.

Number or mark, & weight of sample. "Colawai" gum from Bornu Province (grade A.) Weight 3¼ lb.

Description. The sample consisted of glassy gum varying in colour from pale straw to reddish-brown. A small quantity of dirt (fragments of leaves and bark) was present.

Results of examination.		
Moisture ...	...	10·6 per cent
Ash ...	...	3·6 "
Matter insoluble in water ...		1·2 "
*Acid number ...	...	2·5 "
Specific rotation at — °C. in water		—
†Relative viscosity of 10 per cent. solution at 22 °C.		11·7 "

*Milligrams of potassium hydroxide required to neutralise one gram of gum.

†As compared with 1 for water, determined under the same conditions.

The gum gave a pale yellow mucilage possessing good adhesive properties.

Commercial valuation and remarks. See No. 43365/3 below.

IMPERIAL INSTITUTE.

Results of the Examination of 'Golawai' Gum (Acacia Campylacantha, Hochst) from Northern Nigeria.

Imperial Institute No. 43365-2 Date 13th May, 1913.

Reference. Letter No. 2631/1907 dated 10th February, 1912, from the Acting Chief Secretary to Government at Zungeru.

Number or mark, and weight of sample. "Golawai" gum from Bornu Province (grade B.) Weight 4 lbs.

Description. This sample closely resembled the preceding sample (grade A) in appearance, but contained fewer dark coloured pieces of gum.

Results of examination		
Moisture ...	...	10·7 per cent
Ash	...	3·4 "
Matter Insoluble in water	...	1·1 "
* Acid number ...	...	2·2
Specific rotation at —°C in water		—
† Relative viscosity of 10 per cent solution at 22°C.		13.1

* Milligram of potassium hydroxide required to neutralise one gram of gum.

† As compared with 1 for water, determined under the same condition.

The gum gave a pale yellow mucilage possessing good adhesive properties.

Commercial valuation and remarks. See No. 43365/3 below.

IMPERIAL INSTITUTE.

Result of the Examination of "Golawai" Gum (Acacia Campylacantha, Hochst) from Northern Nigeria.

Imperial Institute No 43365/3. Date 13th May, 1913.

Reference Letter No. 2934/1907 dated 10th February 1912 from the Acting Chief Secretary to Government at Zungeru.

Number or mark, and weight of sample "Golawai" gum from Bornu Province (grade C.) Weight 3½ lbs.

Description. The sample closely resembled the preceding sample (grade B) but consisted of smaller fragments and was rather paler in colour.

Results of examination		
Moisture ...	...	10·6 per cent
Ash	...	3·4 "
Matter insoluble in water	...	2·2 "
* Acid number ...	...	1·9
Specific rotation at—°C in water		—
† Relative viscosity of 10 per cent solution at 22°C.	...	8·8

* Milligrams of potassium hydroxide required to neutralise one gram of gum.

† As compared with 1 for water, determined under the same condition.

The gum gave a pale yellow mucilage possessing good adhesive properties.

Commercial valuation and remarks "Golawai" gum as represented by this and the two preceding samples would be classified commercially as "semi-insoluble" gum, and would be worth from 15/- to 17/6 per cwt, when saleable. There is however little demand for such gum as long as typical soluble gums, such as the "Kol-kol" and "Karumga" gums of Bornu, are obtainable in quantity and cheap rates.

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IMPERIAL INSTITUTE.

RESULTS OF THE EXAMINATION OF "KINGUR" GUM (ACACIA SP.) FROM NORTHERN NIGERIA.

Imperial Institute No. 43665-4 Date 13th May, 1913.

Reference. Letter No. 2934/1907 dated 10th February 1912 from the Acting Chief Secretary to Government at Zungeru.

Number or mark, and weight of sample "Kingur" from Bornu Province. Weight 3¼ lbs.

Description The sample consisted of gum in the form of small dirty fragments and dust, mixed with fair-sized pieces of a slightly aromatic resin. A considerable quantity of bark and dirt was present.

Results of Examination.

Moisture	...	The sample was not submitted to chemical examination.
Ash	...	
Matter insoluble in water	...	
*Acid nuuber ...	...	
Specific rotation at °C. in water		
†Relative viscosity of 10 per cent. solution at °C.		

* Milligram of potassium hydroxide required to neutralise one gram of gum.

† As compared with for water, determined under the same conditions.

Commercial valuation and remarks This material, consisting of gum, resin and dirt, would be of no commercial value in the United Kingdom. A further sample of the gum free from dirt, and resin should be forwarded for examination.

The herbarium specimen sent for examination was incomplete and could not be identified. A further specimen showing leaves, flowers and fruits should be forwarded for this purpose.

IMPERIAL INSTITUTE.

RESULTS OF THE EXAMINATION OF "KATALABU" GUM (ACACIA SIEBERIANA, DC.) FROM NORTHERN NIGERIA.

Imperial Institute No. 43365-5 Date 13th May, 1913

Reference. Letter No. 2934/1907 dated 10th February 1912 from the Acting Chief Secretary to Government at Zungeru.

Number or mark, and weight of sample. "Kotalabu" gum from Bornu Province (grade A). Weight 3 lbs.

Description. The sample consisted of glassy gum varying in colour from straw to reddish-brown, but on the whole darker than the "Golawai" gum (grade A) described above.

A small quantity of bark was present in the sample.

Results of Examination.

Moisture ...	...	10·3 per cent.
Ash	...	2·3 "
Matter insoluble in water	...	1·8 "
*Acid number ...	...	3·9
Specific rotation at — °C. in water		—
†Relative viscosity of 10 per cent. solution at 22°C. ...	...	4·7

* Milligrams of potassium hydroxide required to neutralise one gram of gum.

† As compared with 1 for water, determined under the same conditions.

The gum gave a yellowish-brown mucilage possessing good adhesive properties.

Commercial valuation and remarks See No. 43365/6

IMPERIAL INSTITUTE

RESULTS OF EXAMINATION OF "KATALABU" GUM (ACACIA SIEBERIANA, DC.) FROM NORTHERN NIGERIA.

Imperial Institute No. 43365-6 Date 13th May, 1913.

Reference Letter No. 2934/1907 dated 10th February 1912 from the Acting Chief Secretary to Government at Zungeru.

Number or mark, and weight of sample. "Katalabu" gum from Bornu Province (grade B). Weight 3¼ lb.

Description. This gum closely resembled the preceding sample Katalabu gum (grade A).

Result of examination.

Moisture ...	...	10·2 per cent.
Ash	...	2·1 "
Matter insoluble in water	...	1·3 "
*Acid number	...	4·4
Specific rotation at - °C. in water		—
†Relative viscosity of 10 per cent. solution at 22 °C. ...	...	4·7

*Milligrams of potassium hydroxide required to neutralise one gram of gum.

†As compared with 1 for water, determined under the same conditions.

The gum gave a yellowish-brown mucilage possessing good adhesive properties and similar to that yielded by the preceding sample.

Commercial valuation and remarks. This and the preceding sample of "Katalabu" gum is of promising quality

Both samples were valued by brokers at 22/6 to 24/- per cwt, with "glassy Khartum" gum at 31/- per cwt.

GENERAL CONCLUSIONS.

In a report, No. 187/1908, Northern Bornu, Mr. Beckles Gall stated that four kinds of gum trees exist in Northen Bornu. Herbarium specimens of these four species and samples of the gums yielded by them have now been received at the Imperial Institute and examined. "Karumga" and "Kolkol" gums were dealt with in the Imperial Institute report dated the 9th March 1910 and "Golawai" and "Katalabu" gums in the present report.

The results of this work may be briefly summarised as follows:

Native name of tree.	Scientific name.	Nature of gum.	Commercial value of gum.
"Karumga"	*Acacia Seyal*, Del	Soluble	19/- to 30/- per cwt. according to grade (January 1910).
"Kolkol"	*Acacia Senegal*, Willd.	Soluble	24/- to 28/- per cwt. according to grade (January 1910).
"Golawai"	*Acacia campylacantha* Hochst.	Semi-insoluble	15/- to 17/6 per cwt. (April 1913).
"Katalabu"	*Acacia Sieberiana*, D.C.	Soluble	22/6 to 24/- per cwt. (April 1913).

These results show that although good prices can can obtained for selected gum from the "Karumga" tree (*Acacia Seyal*), the best gum-yielding species in Northern Nigeria, as in the Sudan and Senegal, is "Kol-kol" (*Acacia Senegal*). In collecting gum for export it is very important that inferior gum such as that yeilded by "Golawai" (*Acacia campylacantha*) should not be mixed with the better qualities of gum, such as that furnished by "Kol-kol" trees, or those obtained from "Karumga" or "Katalabu" trees.

With regard to the samples of all these gums forwarded to the Imperial Institute it may be pointed out that better prices are obtained for consignments of gum where these consist of pieces which are uniform in size and colour and are free from dust and that it is not worth while attempting to divide gum into grades unless these points are attended to. Thus none of the so-called grades of gum dealt with in this or the previous report would be regarded as distinct grades in the United Kingdom, since they all consisted of gum varying in colour and avour and in size of pieces.

CROP STATISTICS—BASSA PROVINCE.

BY RESIDENT F. F. W. BYNG-HALL, November 1912.

Product.	Locality.	Yield per acre.	Local Value.	Remarks.
Yams ...	Ade & Ogugu	3,500 lbs. ...	From 2 to 8 lbs. per 1d.	About 784 plants to an acre, 1 in 6 proved unproductive. Conditions and ground favourable.
	Ankpa ...	2,000 lbs. ...	4 to 8 lbs. per 1d.	Planted as above. Soil very poor on this farm.
	Boju ...	" " ...	12 to 16 yams for 6d.	No weight given 1,600 plants reckoned to an acre each averaging 2½ yams. This gives 4,000 yams to an acre at 4 lbs. per yam=16,000 lbs. Soil in this district very rich.
Guinea Corn ...	Ankpa ...	1,200 lbs. ...	1/- to 2/- per bundle of 40 lbs.	Threshed guinea corn 750 lbs. per acre.
	Boju ...	13 bundles of 45 lbs=585 lbs.	6d. per bundle of 45 lbs.	Bundle produces threshed grain to value of 7½d.
Sweet potato ...	Ankpa ...	1,650 lbs. ...	10 lbs. per 1d. ...	Grow well but not in great demand.
Ground Nuts ...	Ade & Ogugu	1,200 lbs. ...	1d. to 1½d. per cash bowl.	Considered a good crop.

Notes:—

The cost of living per diem throughout the province varies from 1½d. for a man living by himself, to less than 1d. per man when several mess together.

There are practically no absentee farmers in the Province.

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POSSIBLE PRODUCTS CULTIVATED BY ONE FARMER IN THE BOJU DISTRICT.

By Mr. Assistant Resident Kay, November 1912.

Name of Product.	Average Price.	Value of amount produced by 1 farmer.	Remarks.
Yams 800 lbs. ...	— ...	£2 0 0	
Guinea corn 1½ acres ...	6d. per 45 lbs. ...	0 10 0	Value threshed 12/6.
Guijia or Kwaruru ...	8 cal. 6d.	0 10 0	
Hard ground nuts ...	6 „ 6d.	1 0 0	
Sakata large yams ...	— ...	0 10 0	Only eaten when yams are finished.
Cassava	1 basket 3d. ...	0 10 0	Cheaper than dried yams.
Coriander seed ...	4 cal. 6d.	0 7 6	Much prized by Idomas.
Pumpkins	About 1d. each. 100 for one brass rod	0 7 6	Old price before opening up of Idoma.
Maize	20 to aliens 3d. ...	mean 6 0	Price to trader in markets.
Ground nuts ..	40 lbs. one brass rod 20 to aliens 3d. At Yangede 1 jar 3d.	mean 5 0	The Idoma still prefers to take brass rods other than money.
Koko yams	1 basket 1 brass rod ...	0 3 0	Much prized brass rod.
Okra	1 jar 3d.	0 2 6	
Pepper	2 cups 3d.... ...	0 2 6	
Beans	1 cal 1d. 4 to aliens 6d.	0 2 0	
"Giligili" long coarse beans	1 jar 3 B. R. ...	0 7 0	
Tumuku	1 jar dried 3d. 1½ fresh 3d....	0 2 0	
"Ganta"	40 for 1d. (2 sts.) ...	0 1 0	
"Agushe" or Adele a small sweet gourd ...	1 cal. 1 B. R. ...	0 5 0	Used to make soup.
Rumana	1 bundle 3d. ...	0 2 0	Used to make kunu.
Sweet potatos ...	Not much sold ...	—	
Tobacco	2 lumps 3d. ...	—	Generally used for household.
Cotton	1 bowl 5—7 B. R. ...	0 6 0	

Limes, Pawpaws and Bananas grow wild. The latter if of a certain kind are sold 30 for 1 brass rod.

YELWA KONTAGORA PROVINCE.

K Kaka
D Damana
R Rani
B Bazara
F Funturu

	Average yield per Acre.	Value per pound				Labour man days per Acre	
		Minimum		Maximum.			
		Season	Price.	Season	Price		
Dawa	25 bundles 35 lbs each 525 lbs threshed.	K	·14d	D	·33	27	
Gero	86 Kwondo 72 lbs. each 2592 lbs. unthreshed 1446 lbs. threshed.	Karshen daman	·22d	D	·37	9	
Maiwa( )	31 bundles 42 lbs. each 602 lbs. threshed.	K	·2	D	·33	11	Value 1/3 per Kwodo 71/3d.
Masara	57 Kwondo	Karshen damana		ferkon bazara		11	
Sinkafa	9 Kwondo 120 lbs. each 1080 lbs.	do.	·4d	do.	6d	15	Undecorticated tsaba.
Wake		D	.64d	K	.2d		
Tamba	66 Kwondo 18 lbs. each 1188 lbs. (da bunia) 792 lbs. tsaba	K	·12d	D	·25d	43	
Gwazza	—	R	·12	Shegaa damana	·22d		
Taba	150 gamwo value 1/- —150/-	B	1·5	D	2·25	100	
Gedda	33 Masuka 31 lbs. each 1023 lbs.	F	·3d	D	·8	7	Undecorticated.
Kuaruru	62 Masuka lb. each	F	·35d	D	·7d	7	
Dankali	61 Masuka 38 lbs. each 2318 lbs.	K	·16d	X	·26d	8	X bazara zua damana
Doiya	2812 lbs	K	·16d	bazara & damana	·26d	11	
Rogo	3520 lbs.	Karshen damana	·14d	bazara to middamana	·2d	27	
Albassa		K	1/30 each	D	1/10 each		

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KONTAGORA PROVINCE.

Sakaba Division, By Mr. Assistant Resident C. E. Boyd, February 1913.

2. The inhabitants almost without exception are agriculturists and farm work is done on the "gaya" system.

3. Land is of no value and the Dakakarri and Dukawa live entirely in little hamlets on their farms which are scattered over an enormous area. The farms have no fences and if the farms about on each other no one but the owners know the exact limits.

4. At the end of 5 to 7 years when the yield of farm shows material signs of falling off a new area is usually taken into cultivation. As a rule this is done gradually. Manuring is not done and in fact from the time their crops are cut until the time comes for preparing the farm for sowing again no work is done.

5. The first sowing of a new patch is generally acha or antaiya (pinnesetum typhoidium,) sometimes ridi.

6. The staple crop is guinea corn and mingled with it in very small quantities is millet (maiwaa). Acha and Ridi Makari are also grown.

7. The average farming operations of one man with one wife and three small children who are the occupants of a hamlets consists of about :—

(*a*) 2 to 3 acres of guinea corn with or without a little maiwa mingled with it.

(*b*) ¼ acre of acha or ridi or both mixed up.

(*c*) ¼ acre of makari or ridi or both mixed up.

(*d*) He grows a little tobacco round his huts, between 20 and 50 plants.

(*e*) Sometimes in same manner as (*d*) a little "Ramma" is grown the fibre for rope. The leaves may be used for soup.

(*f*) A few plants of "Yakua" used in soup.

(*g*) He probably collects the produce of 1 or 2 dorowa (locust bean with which he makes soup.

(*h*) His wife also may collect a small quantity of shea nuts.

(*i*) The average number of goats is about 5 per hamlet and 6 to 12 fowls. (The lack of fowls is reported due to periodical outbreak of disease which is attended with heavy mortality and also to sacrifices to their "tsafi").

8. Sometimes rice, in very small quantities is sown indiscriminately *i.e.* a row here and a row there if the farm embraces a low lying spot.

9. In none of the farms were beans to be seen although they are undoubtedly cultivated but to a very varying extent.

10. The following are the local prices:—
Guinea Corn 30lbs. 3d. Acha (or antaiya) 18lbs 3d. Makari 20lbs. 3d. Ridi 28lbs. 3d. Beans (wake) 30lbs. 3d.

11. Cows milk and butter, when available, are greatly appreciated. The price varies the average being about 2 pints of milk for 1d. and butter about 2d. per lb. These two items are luxuries and hardly enter into the food domain of the ordinary farmer.

12. Wild honey is collected and is so greatly appreciated that very little is put on the market. The pure honey probably fetches about 1/- per lb. weight.

13. I hope very shortly that the fact of bees wax being a valuable trade commodity may be brought home to them

14. In the Southern portion of the Division millet (gero) yams and groundnuts are also cultivated but as they are some distance from Zuru no farms were measured. I consider the products grown there are much about the same as round Kontagora.

15. The value of the crops etc., of the average detailed in paragraph 7 would work out at about the following:—

Guinea corn 2½ acres @ 4/8 per acre 11/8. Acha ¼ acre @ 2/1 per acre 6d. Ridi ¼ acre @ 3/9 per acre 11d. Makari @ 2/4 per acre 2d. Total 13/3.

Tobacco 1/- Rama 3d. Yakua 3d. 1/6. Value of dorowa 5/- Value of Shea butter 3/- Value of Honey 2/- Value of stock 5 goats @ 1/6 and 10 fowls @ 2d. 9/2. 3 dogs @ 9d. 2/3 Total 36/2 Scale of percentage of his corn about September to traders etc., @ about 5 lbs. 3/10 Total 40/-

Statement showing Acreage and yield of Staple and common Crops.

Zuru Sakaba Divison 17th February 1913.

Farm.	Family.	Guinea Corn. Acres.	Yield.	Yield pr. Acre	Acha. Area sq. yds.	Yield.	Yield pr. Acre	Makari. Area sq. yds.	Yield.	Yield pr. Acre	Ridi. Area sq. yds.	Yield.	Yield pr. Acre	Remarks.
A	1 Wife, 3 Children	2½ ...	1130	502	250 x 34	263	150	—	—	—	20 x 11	19	418	5 years under cultivation; stony soil exceptionally large Area under "Acha."
B	2 Wives, 5 Children	3 ...	1800	600	50 x 23	37	156	12 x 28	13	193	40 x 25	92	445	3 years under cultivation; light sandy soil.
C ...	1 Wife, 1 Adult male, 3 Children	3¼ ...	1770	566	85 x 11	28	145	15 x 18	10	179	7 x 10	6	415	7 years under cultivation: good soil: low-lying.
Average per Acre			556			150			186			426		
value per Acre			4/8			2/-			2/4			3/9		
Native Adm. Prison Farm	—	5½ ...	3680	701	—			—			—			A low-lying piece of virgin soil. 1 year under cultivation. Well looked after.

Notes.—(I.) The spring balance used for these weights was somewhat worn.
(II.) Great difficulty was experienced in measuring the farms owing to their extremely irregular and erratic shapes.
(III.) Married Dakka-Karri women assist their husbands on the farms.

CROP STATISTICS.

Yelwa Division, by Mr. Assistant Resident J. C. O. Clarke, February 1913.

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I have measured various farms and asked the farmers what they produce and have weighed samples of the produce and I transmit herewith the resultant statistics.

* * * The statistics *re* labour are only very approximate as one farmer calls a few hours' farming a day's work, while another works from sunrise to sunset.

* * *

I am informed that the following are something like the expenses of a family of ten:—

1 man, 2 wives, 4 boys, 3 girls necessary food 5/9 a month. Meat and fish 3d a day 7/6 a month. Sundries 1d. a day 2/6 a month. Gero 2d. a day 5/- a month Total food etc. monthly 20/9. Annually £12 9/-.

Clothes. Maigidda—2 rigas £2. 2/- 2 wondo £1. 2 talkalma 3/- 2 rawani 16/- 2 mayafi 12/- 2 fula 2/- Total £4 13/-.

Family. 4 riga 24/- 4 wondo 24/- 6 talkalma 2/- 6 fuluna 6/- zanua 30/- £4 6/- Total clothes annually £8 19/- Total for food and clothes 1 year £21. 8/-. Of course the expenditure varies in every household—this is just a rough estimate of the expenditure of an ordinary fairly well to do farmer.

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NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 24.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 13th June, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 11th June:—

Miss A. M. Poulter, Nurse, Medical, Messrs Murray, Littledale, A. E. Lane, Road Foremen, J. G. Rice, Assistant Engineer, P.W.D. Sergts. C. W. Channell, J. Turner, N.N.R., Dr. L. A. W. Davies, Medical Officer, Mr. L. W. LaChard, Asst. Commissioner of Police, Mr. W. B. Thomson, 3rd Class Resident.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 11th June:—
Sergt. J. Thomson, N.N.R.

LAGOS, 12th June (German Mail):—

Mr. H. M. Woolley, Postmaster General, P. L. Collison, Asst. Auditor.

LAGOS, 12th June:—

Lieuts. J. W. Chamley, G. L. E. Sherlock and Sergt. Major A. Vermeulen, N.N.R.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 13th June:—
Mr. J. G. Bagge, Technical Instructor, Education, Mr. E. Cork, Telegraph Inspector, Dr. A. J. T. Swann, Medical Officer.

BURUTU, 14th June:—
Mr. G. McGregor, Asst. Resident.

POSTINGS:—Thomson Bornu.

His Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of C.M.G., Colonel Strickland.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 25.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 20th June, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 18th June:—

Mr. M. R. Smith, Junior Superintendent, Education, Messrs. Ritchie, Brown, Road Foremen, P. W. D., Captains W. J. Terry, O. Oakes, Lieut. A. P. Garnier, Armourer Sergt. J. W. Swain, Sergts. P. Morrell, H. Canning, N.N.R., Dr. J. Lindsay, Medical Officer, Mr. C. C. Gerahty. Asst. Resident, Mr. F. W. P. Soper, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Capt. S. C. Taylor and Mr. Morgan-Owen, Assistant Residents.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 18th June:—Nil.

LAGOS, 19th June:—
Mr. E. G. M. Dupigny, 2nd Class Resident, Dr. P. W. Black, Medical Officer.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 21st June:—
Major J. E. C. Blakeney, 2nd Class Resident, Capt. J. ff. Hopkinson, Assistant Resident, Mr. R. Nicol, Assistant Supdnt., Agriculture, Mr. L. R. Bradley, Assistant Accountant, 1st Grade, P.W.D.

BURUTU, 22nd June:—Nil.

POSTINGS:— C. C. Gerahty Sokoto, Morgan-Owen, Taylor Kano, Soper Kontagora.

Regret to report death at Lagos of Dr. Langley P.M.O., Southern Nigeria on the 11th instant.

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376 Notice by the West African Currency Board.

THE following Notice by the West African Currency Board is published for general information:—

THE Royal Mint having discontinued the free issue of United Kingdom silver coin to the British West African Colonies and Protectorates, future coinage requirements will be met by the issue of silver coins of the design recently approved by His Majesty the King for circulation in British West Africa.

The new coins are of the denominations of 2/- 1/- 6d. and 3d. and are of precisely the same size, weight, and fineness as corresponding coins of the United Kingdom.

Both the new and the existing silver coins have been declared by His Majesty's Orders in Council to be legal tender throughout British West Africa up to any amount, and will be accepted by all Government institutions and by the Bank of British West Africa, Limited, on an equal footing.

Facilities for obtaining coin in West Africa will be afforded, as hitherto, by the Bank of British West Africa, Limited. In addition it will in future be open to the public, if they prefer, to apply to the West African Currency Board, 4 Whitehall Gardens, S.W. for coin to be delivered on the Coast.

The West African Currency Board will deliver current silver coin, in lots of not under £100 in face value, at any ocean port in British West Africa served by the steamers of the Elder Dempster line in exchange for prepayment in London of Principal and premium. Coin so purchased will be delivered from local stocks or otherwise by the Bank of British West Africa, Limited, acting as the Board's Agent, at the desired port in West Africa in either United Kingdom of local silver Currency, or both, at its option. The premium payable may be varied from time to time but will until further notice be 15/- per cent, which will include all charges other than landing expenses at ports of destination where no branch of the Bank exists. The Board will not deliver coin at places other than the Ocean ports referred to above.

Notice must be given to the Board at least ten clear days prior to the departure from Liverpool of the steamer by which shipment is desired. The application must be accompanied by a cheque on a London Bank for the principal sum and premium. The denominations of coin desired must be stated in the application. The Board will endeavour to meet the wishes of applicants as regards denominations, but they reserve the right, if necessary to supply coin of different denominations from that ordered.

The Board will not be responsible for delay in the delivery of coin, however occasioned.

Holders in West Africa of United Kingdom or local silver coin will have the right, on tendering such coin at the local Agencies of the Board at Bathurst, Freetown, Accra, and Lagos, to obtain in exchange from the Currency Officers who represent the Board at those places drafts at three days sight on the Board in London at a charge which may be varied from time to time, but will until further notice be 15/- per cent.

The new West African Coins will of course, not be current in the United Kingdom. In order, therefore, to prevent inconvenience to

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Government Notice.

PROCLAMATION No 7 of 1913,—"The Opium Proclamation, 1913," is published by direction of the Governor.

By His Excellency's Command,

H. S. GOLDSMITH,

Acting Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,

Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,

8th July, 1913.

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A PROCLAMATION.

Enacted by the Governor of Northern Nigeria.

L. S. F. D. LUGARD,

A PROCLAMATION to give effect to the measures decided upon in the International Opium Convention signed at the Hague on the 23rd day of January, 1912, and to regulate the importation into and the storage and disposal of Opium, Morphine, Cocaine and similar drugs in the Protectorate.

WHEREAS the Government of this Protectorate hath agreed to be bound by the International Opium Convention signed at the Hague on the 23rd of January, 1912;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to regulate the Importation and the Storage and Disposal of Opium, Morphine, Cocaine and similar drugs;

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of Northern Nigeria as follows:—

1. This Proclamation may be cited as the Opium Proclamation 1913. Short title.

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Penalty for contravention.

11. Any person contravening the provisions of any of the preceding sections shall, on summary conviction before a Magistrate or any Court having jurisdiction be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds or to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any period not exceeding twelve months and the Magistrate or any Court having jurisdiction may order any prepared opium, or opium unlawfully imported or withdrawn from the store, to be forfeited to His Majesty.

Search warrant.

12. It shall be lawful for a Magistrate or any Court having jurisdiction, if satisfied by information on oath that any opium is being unlawfully kept, conveyed, landed or sold in contravention of this Proclamation at any place, whether a building or not, or in any vehicle or ship—not being or having the status of a ship of War—to grant a warrant to enter at any time, and if needs be by force, on Sundays as well as on any other days, the place, ship, or vehicle named in such warrant, and every part thereof, and to examine the same, and to search for any opium or prepared opium unlawfully kept therein, and to demand from the owner or occupier thereof the production of the authority for being in possession of the same.

Seizure of prepared opium or opium.

When the officer or other person executing such warrant has reasonable cause to believe that any prepared opium or opium found by him in any such place, ship or vehicle, is being kept, conveyed, landed or sold in contravention of this Proclamation, he may seize and detain the same until the Magistrate or any Court having jurisdiction has decided whether the same is liable to be forfeited or not.

Procedure.

Proceedings in a Court shall be commenced as soon as possible after the seizure.

Protection of officers from actions.

13. Any person acting under the aforementioned warrant shall not be liable to any suit for seizing or detaining any opium.

Accomplices.

14. Whoever attempts to commit or aids or abets in the commission of any offence against this Proclamation may be dealt with in the same way, and shall be liable in the same penalty, as if he were charged with the actual offence.

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Governor may make Rules.

15. It shall be lawful for the Governor to make such rules as he may consider expedient for the regulation of the importation, landing, storage, withdrawal or conveyance of any opium imported into the Protectorate and any person contravening the same shall, on summary conviction before a Magistrate or any Court having jurisdiction, be liable for every offence to a penalty not exceeding five pounds, or to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for a period not exceeding one month.

Recovery of penalties.

16. All penalties incurred under this Proclamation may be recovered before a Magistrate or any Court having jurisdiction for which purpose every Magistrate and every Court as aforesaid shall have jurisdiction to the extent of the said penalties.

Commencement.

17. This Proclamation shall commence and come into operation the 7th day of July in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Protectorate of NORTHERN NIGERIA this 7th day of July in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the Proclamation which has been approved by the Governor and found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Proclamation.

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

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NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 24.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 13th June, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 11th June:—

Miss A. M. Poulter, Nurse, Medical, Messrs Murray, Littledale, A. E. Lane, Road Foremen, J. G. Rice, Assistant Engineer, P.W.D. Sergts. C. W. Channell, J. Turner, N.N.R., Dr. L. A. W. Davies, Medical Officer, Mr. L. W. LaChard, Asst. Commissioner of Police, Mr. W. B. Thomson, 3rd Class Resident.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 11th June:—
Sergt. J. Thomson, N.N.R.

LAGOS, 12th June (German Mail):—

Mr. H. M. Woolley, Postmaster General, P. L. Collison, Asst. Auditor.

LAGOS, 12th June:—

Lieuts. J. W. Chamley, G. L. E. Sherlock and Sergt. Major A. Vermeulen, N.N.R.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 13th June:—
Mr. J. G. Bagge, Technical Instructor, Education, Mr. E. Cork, Telegraph Inspector, Dr. A. J. T. Swann, Medical Officer.

BURUTU, 14th June:—
Mr. G. McGregor, Asst. Resident.

POSTINGS:—Thomson Bornu.

His Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of C.M.G., Colonel Strickland.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 25.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 20th June, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 18th June:—

Mr. M. R. Smith, Junior Superintendent, Education, Messrs. Ritchie, Brown, Road Foremen, P. W. D., Captains W. J. Terry, O. Oakes, Lieut. A. P. Garnier, Armourer Sergt. J. W. Swain, Sergts. P. Morrell, H. Canning, N.N.R., Dr. J. Lindsay, Medical Officer, Mr. C. C. Gerahty. Asst. Resident, Mr. F. W. P. Soper, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Capt. S. C. Taylor and Mr. Morgan-Owen, Assistant Residents.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 18th June:—Nil.

LAGOS, 19th June:—
Mr. E. G. M. Dupigny, 2nd Class Resident, Dr. P. W. Black, Medical Officer.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 21st June:—
Major J. E. C. Blakeney, 2nd Class Resident, Capt. J. ff. Hopkinson, Assistant Resident, Mr. R. Nicol, Assistant Supdnt., Agriculture, Mr. L. R. Bradley, Assistant Accountant, 1st Grade, P.W.D.

BURUTU, 22nd June:—Nil.

POSTINGS:— C. C. Gerahty Sokoto, Morgan-Owen, Taylor Kano, Soper Kontagora.

Regret to report death at Lagos of Dr. Langley P.M.O., Southern Nigeria on the 11th instant.

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Government Notices.

376 Notice by the West African Currency Board.

THE following Notice by the West African Currency Board is published for general information:—

THE Royal Mint having discontinued the free issue of United Kingdom silver coin to the British West African Colonies and Protectorates, future coinage requirements will be met by the issue of silver coins of the design recently approved by His Majesty the King for circulation in British West Africa.

The new coins are of the denominations of 2/- 1/- 6d. and 3d. and are of precisely the same size, weight, and fineness as corresponding coins of the United Kingdom.

Both the new and the existing silver coins have been declared by His Majesty's Orders in Council to be legal tender throughout British West Africa up to any amount, and will be accepted by all Government institutions and by the Bank of British West Africa, Limited, on an equal footing.

Facilities for obtaining coin in West Africa will be afforded, as hitherto, by the Bank of British West Africa, Limited. In addition it will in future be open to the public, if they prefer, to apply to the West African Currency Board, 4 Whitehall Gardens, S.W. for coin to be delivered on the Coast.

The West African Currency Board will deliver current silver coin, in lots of not under £100 in face value, at any ocean port in British West Africa served by the steamers of the Elder Dempster line in exchange for prepayment in London of Principal and premium. Coin so purchased will be delivered from local stocks or otherwise by the Bank of British West Africa, Limited, acting as the Board's Agent, at the desired port in West Africa in either United Kingdom of local silver Currency, or both, at its option. The premium payable may be varied from time to time but will until further notice be 15/- per cent, which will include all charges other than landing expenses at ports of destination where no branch of the Bank exists. The Board will not deliver coin at places other than the Ocean ports referred to above.

Notice must be given to the Board at least ten clear days prior to the departure from Liverpool of the steamer by which shipment is desired. The application must be accompanied by a cheque on a London Bank for the principal sum and premium. The denominations of coin desired must be stated in the application. The Board will endeavour to meet the wishes of applicants as regards denominations, but they reserve the right, if necessary to supply coin of different denominations from that ordered.

The Board will not be responsible for delay in the delivery of coin, however occasioned.

Holders in West Africa of United Kingdom or local silver coin will have the right, on tendering such coin at the local Agencies of the Board at Bathurst, Freetown, Accra, and Lagos, to obtain in exchange from the Currency Officers who represent the Board at those places drafts at three days sight on the Board in London at a charge which may be varied from time to time, but will until further notice be 15/- per cent.

The new West African Coins will of course, not be current in the United Kingdom. In order, therefore, to prevent inconvenience to

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passengers proceeding homewards from West Africa, the Board have made arrangements with the Bank of British West Africa, Limited, to exchange into British coin at par coins of the new Currency which may be tendered at the offices of the Bank in London and Liverpool by *bona fide* travellers from West Africa up to £10 for any one passenger.

British West Africa silver coin will be accepted in payment of passages, freight, &c. on all the Steamers of Elder Dempster and Company Limited, trading with West Africa ports on precisely the same terms as United Kingdom silver. It is understood that, with regard to exchange on board, passengers will only be accommodated so far as their ordinary peronals requirements are concerned.

6th June, 1913.

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THE following Circular despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies is published for the information of all concerned :—

CIRCULAR.

DOWNING STREET,
10th May, 1913.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the Army Council have for some time had under consideration the question of modifying the rules affecting the service (so far as it reckons towards retired pay) of officers of the British Army employed under Colonial Governments, as changes have taken place in the conditions since the present rules were adopted.

2. It has been decided to discontinue the arrangements under which officers are earning by colonial service pensions which are paid entirely from Army Funds ; and in future officers on the active list of the Army will not be allowed to take colonial employment except under conditions which shall limit the cost falling upon Army Funds to the due equivalent of the value to the Army of the service rendered.

3. Accordingly the Army Council have divided the various forms of colonial employment into the following three classes :—

A. Officers on the active list seconded for purely military appointments. Subject to a contribution when the employing Colony is self-supporting, the whole of the service will count as army service. An officer retiring from the army will thereby vacate his colonial appointment.

B. Officers seconded for what may be called quasi-military employment, such as those employed in unsettled districts (*e.g.*, with the police or as Residents or Commissioners in such districts.) In such cases a soldier may at times be more useful than a civilian and the experience gained may be of military value if he afterwards returns to the Army. These cases will be dealt with as follows :—

(1.) A contribution will be paid by employing Colony, if self-supporting, towards the officer's retired pay concurrently with his employment. This will be refunded if the officer should retire on retired pay without counting the service for retired pay.

(2.) In order that the colonial service may count towards retired pay, an officer must return to the Army and give three years' subsequent service at least before retiring, so that the Army may reap the advantage which alone justifies the Army Council in allowing the service to count for military pension.

(3.) If the officer retires from the Army while holding the colonial employment, or before completing three years' service in the Army after his return to it, his service in the Colony will not count towards his retired pay, which will be that (if any) to which his Army service by itself entitles him ; he will draw it from the date of retirement.

C. Officers in purely civil appointments. An officer taking up what will be classified as a civil appointment will, for a period not exceeding three years, be placed on the half-pay list without drawing half-pay and without counting time on it towards retired pay. At any time he will be allowed to retire from the Army and draw the retired pay (if any) to which his service in the Army entitles him, and no deduction will be made under Article 485 of the Pay Warrant in respect of the period of civil employment on the half-pay list ; or, if he prefers it, he will be allowed at any time during the period above mentioned to return to Army service. If he remains permanently in the service of the Colonial Government his time while on the half-pay list will, subject to the provisions of local law, count with his subsequent service towards pensions from the Colony or Protectorate. If the employment is " civil" within the meaning of No. 1 of the Rules made by the Treasury under Section 6 of the Superannuation Act, 1887, he will be subject to a deduction from the emoluments of his post in respect of any retired pay which he draws.

4. Posts will only be admitted into Class B if they are regarded as being "of a nature to afford pratical experience likely to be afterwards of advantage in military service" (Article 74 (*h*) and (*i*) of the Army Pay Warrant,) and a strict interpretation of these words will be required in future. If the appointment is not considered of a sufficiently military character to come under Class B, it will be classified as civil (Class C.)

5. Certain cases which appeared to call for special consideration were those of military officers serving as Governors or as Aides-de-Camp to Governors. All military officers serving as Governors of Colonies and Protectorates will be placed in Class B, but no contribution towards retired pay will be required in respect of them. The Army Council have also consented to regard Aides-de-Camp to Governors as in the same category ; but they are unable to accord similar treatment to extra Aides-de-Camp, whose position under existing rules is clearly distinguished from that of Aides-de-Camp : those rules require a deduction from the retired pay of extra Aides-de-Camp in respect of each year of service in that capacity ; and in future these officers will come under the rules for civil employment (C.)

6. It has not been possible to define all the appointments which should be placed in the different classes, as in many cases the classes in which appointments will be placed can only be decided as cases arise. It may be stated generally, however, that, unless the employment is of a distinctly military character the appointment will come in Class C ; Residents and District Commissioners will come in this Class except in the rare cases where their duties may be considered of a military character, when they will be regarded as coming in Class B. In the case of police appointments also the employment would be included in Class C. except where the force to which an officer is attached is of a distinctly military character. On the other hand, officers employed on survey work would be placed in Class B.

7. On the advice of their actuaries the Army Council have fixed the rate of contribution towards the future non-effective pay of a seconded officer at £70 per annum. They consider that this sum should be adopted generally for those officers lent for colonial service who are dealt with in Articles 495 to 524 of the Pay Warrant ; it may be necessary to modify the annual contribution in the case of other officers.

8. I have concurred in the arrangements proposed by the Army Council, which will come into force as regards all Army officers selected for service in the Colonies as from the 1st July next. No change will be made in the conditions of service of officers at present seconded within the period for which their seconding has been approved by the Army Council ; but if this period is extended, or if a seconded officer should change his status, *e.g.*, by transfer to a civil post (Class C) from a military post, he would at once come under the new rules.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient,
humble servant,
L. HARCOURT.

The Officer Administering
the Government of Northern Nigeria.

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Amendment to Political Memo. No. 2.

Political Memo. 2. For paragraph 2 (b) substitute the following :—" Numbered, Minute Books will only be issued by the Resident of the Province to his Junior Residents in charge of the Provincial and Divisional Offices, and if cases are tried by Political Officers on tour the minutes of such cases should be sent on loose sheets to the Provincial or Divisional Office to which the Political Officer who tried the case is attached."

379 Amendment to G.S.O. No. 35.

NOTICE No. 40.

Amendment to G. S. O. No. 35 Land Transport Paragraph 32 Scale B.

Delete words from " Tour extending " to " for tarpaulin " (fourth to sixth lines) and insert.

" For Journey of 10 days 13 carriers, 20 days 16 carriers, 30 days 18 carriers."

380 Townships.

BUKURU (Central Province) is hereby declared to be a Township of the Second Class.

381 Native Court.

WARRANTS establishing Native Courts under the Native Courts Proclamation with the approval of the Governor, under the Seal of the Protectorate, have been issued as under :—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of warrant.
Central	"D"	Alkali's Court of Dress	5th June 1913
	"D"	Judicial Council of Burra	"
Kontagora	"B"	Judicial Council of Yelwa	9th June 1913.

The Warrant establishing Judicial Council of Burra ("D" grade) and Alkali's Court of Deo ("D" grade) Central Province dated 26th December 1906 and 13th April 1908 respectively, and the Judicial Council of Yelwa ("C" grade) Kontagora Province dated 3rd February 1912 are cancelled.

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382 Preliminary Notice.

TRANSFER OF AREA OCCUPIED BY THE SHUNGAVA MUNSHIS IN SOUTHERN NIGERIA TO NORTHERN NIGERIA.

THE area occupied by the Shungava Munshis in Southern Nigeria has been transferred to Northern Nigeria and will form part of the Muri Province.

383 Administration of Estates.

ADMINISTRATORS of Estates should take steps to realize, as soon as possible, all cheques which are accepted by them in connexion with the Administration of an estate.

384
Rise and Fall of the River Benue.

FOR THE MONTH ENDING MARCH, 31ST 1913.

Date.	RIVER BENUE.			
	Ibi.		Abinsi.	
	Rise ins.	Fall ins.	Rise ins.	Fall ins.
1st to 2nd - -	—	1	—	2½
Week ending 9th -	—	2	—	3
do. 16th -	—	3	—	2
do. 23rd -	—	2	—	2½
do. 30th -	—	1	—	3½
on 31	—	—	—	½
Total Fall	—	9ins.	—	14 ins.

385 Rise and Fall of River Benue.

FOR MONTH OF APRIL, 1912.

Date.	RIVER BENUE.			
	Ibi.		Abinsi.	
	Rise ins.	Fall ins.	Rise ins.	Fall ins.
1st to 6th - -	—	2	3½	1½
Week ending 13 -	4	—	2½	—
do. 20th -	5	1	3	2
do. 27th -	8	1	9	—
28th to 30th	1	3	½	—
Total Net Rise	11 ins.		15ins.	

386 Extract from London Gazette.

The following extract from the London Gazette dated 13th May, 1913, is published for information:—

INFANTRY.

* * *

The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment). The undermentioned Second Lieutenant to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1913:—

George E. Barclay, and to remain seconded.

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THE Surveyors' Licences granted to the undermentioned have been cancelled:—

No. 12 M. P. Hyatt
„ — J. G. Pool
„ 7 G. E. Hayes.

388 Erratum.

Notice No. 779 in Gazette No. 24 of 31st December, 1912, the date of reabsorption of Lieut. H. H. Baxter, Artillery, Northern Nigeria Regiment was 30th April, 1913, and not as stated therein.

389
Allowance of Proclamation.

THE Right Honourable ths Secretary of State for the Colonies has been pleased to notify the Governor that His Majesty will not be advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the following:—

No. 2. of 1913, entitled "A Proclamation to amend the Minerals Proclamation."

By His Excellency's Command,
H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
15th July, 1913.

390 Nigerian Railway.

JENGRE Station Mile 103 on the Bauchi Branch, will be opened to passenger and goods traffic on and after Monday the 7th July, 1913. The opening of this Station reduces the distance, Naraguta to railhead, from 45 to 34 miles.

J. EAGLESOME,
Director of Railways and Works.

391 Judicial Notices.

In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. Francisco, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Francisco, deceased, who died at Kano on the 27th day of February, 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr Assistant Resident G. L. Uniacke the Provisional Administrator at Kano on or before the 31st day of July, 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 18th day of June 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Adminstrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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In the matter of the Estate of the late Captain I. G. Sewell, 1st Battalion, Northern Nigeria Regiment.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Captain I. G. Sewell, 1st Battalion, Northern Nigeria Regiment deceased, who died at Zungeru on the 28th day of June 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims or demands to Captain J. M. Simpson, Zungeru, on or before the 15th day of August 1913.

393 Return of Spirit Licences issued during the year 1913.

No. of Licence.	Province.	Station.	To whom issued.	Amount.	Remarks.
1/5	Zaria ...	Kaduna ...	The Niger Co. Ltd. ...	£25	
1/6	do. ...	Zaria ...	do. ...	£25	
1/11	do. ...	do. ...	The Tin Areas of Nigeria Ltd	£25	
1/12	Kabba ...	Lokoja ...	The Niger Co. Ltd. ...	£25	
1/13	Niger ...	Baro ...	do. ...	£25	
1/14	do. ...	Jebba ...	do. ...	£25	
1/15	do. ...	Zungeru ...	do. ...	£25	
1/16	Central ..	Naraguta ...	do. ...	£25	
1/17	Muri ...	Ibi ...	do. ...	£25	
1/18	Central ...	Jos ...	do. ...	£25	
1/19	Kano ...	Kano ...	do. ...	£25	
1/20	Niger ...	Minna ...	do. ...	£25	
1—23	do. ...	Baro ...	John Holt & Co. ...	£25	
1—24	do. ...	Minna ...	do. ...	£25	
1/22	Railway Restaurant Car	- ...	The Nigerian Railway ...	£25	
1/23	Kano ...	Kano ...	The London & Kano Trading Co. ...	£25	
				£400	

T. B. PHILIPS,
for Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Zungeru,
19th June 1913.

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394 **Commission.**

The following Commission has been issued:—

Name.	Appointment.	Nature of Commission.	Province.	Period.	Date of Commission.
Mr. A. Graham ...	District Engineer, Nigerian Railway	Justice of the Peace	Central	Whilst employed on Railway Construction	6th June 1913.

395 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Miss A. M. Poulter	Nurse	Medical	11th June 1913	26th June 1913.
Mr. Daniel Murray	Road Foreman	Public Works	do.	do.
Mr. Bernard Henry Littledale ...	do.	do.	do.	do.
Mr. Alfred Ernest Lane	do.	do.	do.	do.
Mr. James Gould Rice	Assistant Engineer	do.	do.	do.
Mr. Maurice Redfern Smith ...	Junior Superintendent	Education	18th June "	4th July "
Mr. Nichol Ernest Ritchie	Road Foreman	Public Works	do.	do.
Mr. Andrew Brown	do.	do.	do.	do.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. Isaac Williamson Macauley ...	3rd Class Compositor	Printing	1st June 1913	1st June 1913
Mr. David Awdu Francis	do	do.	do.	do.
Mr. James Laniran	do.	do.	do.	do.
Amadu Shogbori	2nd Class Warder	Prisons	do.	do.

396 **Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. E. C. Duff	Political and Administrative	Resident Illorin	12th May 1913.	
Mr. F. Bisset Archer	Treasury	Treasurer	10th July 1913.	
Mr. T. B. Philips	do.	Chief Assistant Treasurer	do.	

397 **Termination of Acting Appointment.**

Name.	Acting Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. H. R. Palmer	Resident Ilorin	Political & Administrative	11th May 1913.	

398 **Promotion.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. S. M. Cole	3rd Class Compositor	2nd Class Compositor and Machine Printer	Printing	1st June 1913.

399 **Permanent Staff.**

The undermentioned Native Officials, having completed three years service have been placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the dates stated against their names :—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. J. A. W. Jones	1st Class Compositor ...	Printing	4th February 1900.	
Mr. Isaac A. Wray	2nd Class Compositor and Machine Printer	do.	18th February 1908.	

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400 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months.	Vacation. Days.	Return. Months.	Return. Days.	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Mr. T. C. Newton ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	26th June 1913	Full salary.
Mr. H. R. Palmer ...	2nd Class Resident	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	3rd July "	do.
Mr. C. O. Migeod ...	3rd Class Resident	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr J. F. J. Fitzpatrick ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. J. G. Kirk	Asst. Accountant, (3rd Grade) P.W.D. ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ..	— ...	—	do.	do.
Miss E. Taylor	Nurse Medical	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	9th July 1913	—	do.
Dr. K. McGahey	Medical Officer	— ...	40 ...	— ...	— ...	—	10th July 1913	do.
Dr. W. D. Inness ...	do	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do. "	do.
Mr. J. H. Bratt	Treasurer	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do. "	do.
Mr. L. H. E. Blake ...	3rd Class Resident	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do. "	do.
Mr. P. A. Benton... ...	do.	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do. "	do.
Mr. J. Horan	Teacher Education	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do. "	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. J. A. Odoi	1st Class Clerk, P. W. D.	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	5th June 1913	Full salary. Accra.
Mr. S. H. Brew	1st Class Clerk, Pol. and Administratitve	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	26th June "	Full salary. Axim.

401 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Mr. B. E. M. Waters ...	3rd Class Resident	4 months ...	20th March 1913	19th July 1913	Half salary. Ill-health.
Mr. H. Morgan-Owen ...	Assistant Resident	29 days	20th May 1913	17th June 1913	do. do.
Mr. Hanns Vischer ...	Director of Education ...	1 month ...	2nd June 1913	1st July 1913 ...	Full salary.

402 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Dr. L. A. W. Davies	Medical Officer	Medical	26th June 1913.	
Mr. L. W. LaChard	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	Police	do.	
Mr. W. B. Thomson	3rd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Dr. J. Lindsay	Medical Officer	Medical	4th July 1913.	
Mr. C. C. Gerahty	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Mr. F. W. P. Soper	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	Police	do.	
Capt. S. C. Taylor	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Mr. H. Morgan-Owen	do.	do. do.	do.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. A. E. Cole	Assistant Chief Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	13th June 1913.	
Mr. C. C. Nylander	do.	do ..	14th June "	
Mr. T. W. J. Longmore ...	2nd Class Clerk, and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	24th June "	

403 **Transfer.**

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Mr. M. C. Johnson	2nd Class Compositor and Machine Printer	Gambia	2nd Class Compositor	21st January 1913.

404 **Resignation.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. K. Davies	Political Agent	Political and Administrative ...	23rd March 1913.	

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405 **Re-absorption.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of re-absorption into Royal Navy.	Remarks.
Lieutenant A. C. Ackland	Assistant Resident ...	Political and Administrative	4th July 1913	

406 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Lieut. C. S. Field	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	Lower Standard Progress	20th March 1913.
Mr. G. J. Lethem	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	Lower Standard Final	12th May 1913.

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE

407 **Powers of Commanding Officer.**

Under the provisions of Proclamation No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter XVIII, section 40, the Acting Commandant, Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, has, with the concurrence of the Governor, conferred the Powers of Commanding Officer on the following Officers:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Whilst Commanding Detachment at	Date of Warrant.	Remarks.
Capt. J. O. Hopkinson	1st Bn. N. N. Regt. ...	Bauchi	28th May 1913.	
Lieut. B. Edwards	do. ...	Zuru	10th June 1913.	
Lieut. H. C. Bridges	do. ...	Pankshin	19th June 1913.	

408 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Ali Kano	Interpreter	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	21st May 1913. ...	21st May 1913.

409 **Acting Appointment.**

Rank and Name.	Unit.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Captain E. J. Wolseley	2nd Bn. N. N. Regt.	Brigade Major, N. N. Regt. ...	24th June 1913.	

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410 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Lieut. G. T. Burney	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2	—	2	—	—	10th July 1913	Full salary.
BRITISH N. C. O.								
Colour-Sergt. F. Griffin	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2	—	2	—	2nd July 1913	—	do.

411 **Resumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Lieutenant A. P. Garnier	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	4th July 1913.
Captain W. J. Terry	Company Commander	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	5th July 1913.
Captain O. Oakes	Company Officer	do.	do.
BRITISH N. C. Os.			
Colour-Sergt. C. W. Channell	Colour Sergeant	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	26th June 1913.
Sergeant I. C. Turner	1st Rating Sergeant	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	27th June 1913.
Armourer Sergeant J. W. Swain	Armourer Sergeant	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	4th July 1913.
Sergeant H. Canning	1st Rating Sergeant	do.	do.

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412 **Promotion.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	With effect from.
Lieut. J. W. Chamley	Company Officer, 1st Bn. N. N Regt.	Company Commander	12th December 1912.

413 **Re-absorption.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of re-absorption into British Regiment.
Captain J. Goold Adams	Company Officer	M. I., N. N. Regt.	4th July 1913.

414 **Discharge.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	With effect from.
John Egibunu	Interpreter	2nd Bn., N N. Regt.	21st May 1913.

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NIGERIAN MARINE.

415 **Benue Service, High Water, 1913.**

Up.				Down.			
Leave Lokoja Mondays.	Loko.	Ibi*	Arrived Yola.	Departure Yola.	Ibi.	Loko.	Arrived Lokoja.
...	...	...	...	...	June 6th	June 8th	June 9th
June 2nd	June 4th	June 8th	...	...	June 9th	June 11th	June 12th
June 9th	June 11th	June 14th	...	...	June 16th	June 18th	June 19th
June 23rd	June 25th	June 28th	July 2nd	July 4th	July 6th	July 7th	July 8th
†							
July 7th	July 9th	July 11th	July 16th	July 18th	July 20th	July 21st	July 22nd
July 21st	July 23rd	July 26th	July 30th	Aug. 2nd	Aug. 4th	Aug. 5th	Aug. 6th
Aug. 4th	August 6th	Aug. 9th	Aug. 13th	Aug. 14th	Aug. 16th	Aug. 17th	Aug. 18th
Aug. 18th	Aug. 20th	Aug. 23rd	Aug. 27th	Aug. 29th	Aug. 31st	Sept. 1st	Sept. 2nd
Sept. 1st	Sept. 3rd	Sept. 6th	Sept. 11th	Sept. 13th	Sept. 15th	Sept. 16th	Sept. 17th
Sept. 15th	Sept. 17th	Sept. 20th	Sept. 25th	Sept. 27th	Sept. 29th	Sept. 30th	Oct. 1st
‡							
Sept. 29th	Oct 1st	Oct. 5th	Oct. 10th	Oct. 12th	Oct. 14th	Oct. 15th	Oct. 16th
Oct. 13th	Oct. 15th	Oct. 19th	Steam Canoe to Yola probably takes on mails and passengers last steam vessel to Yola.		Oct. 20th	Oct. 22nd	Oct. 23rd
‡‡							
Oct. 27th	Oct. 9th	Nov. 2nd	...	...	Nov. 4th	Nov. 5th	Nov. 6th
Nov. 10th	Nov. 12th	Nov. 16th	...	...	Nov. 17th	Nov. 18th	Nov. 19th

* If possible a weekly mails will be run to Ibi from June 2nd, to November 10th.

† First Large Boat (Sultan Class) direct to Yola.

‡ Last Large Boat (Sultan Class) to Yola. River falls rapidly after October 6th.

‡‡ Last Large Boat [Sultan Class] to Ibi.

THE DATES OF DEPARTURE WILL BE KEPT AS NEAR AS POSSIBLE.

River steamer for Burutu leaves Baro Thursdays, Lokoja Saturdays, weekly.

Weekly mail to Lokoja from Burutu due, leave Saturdays arriving Lokoja Thursdays.

Applications of passages and cargo space should be made to Local Marine Officer, Burutu, or Senior Marine Officer, Forcados, or to the Senior Marine Officer, Lokoja Local Marine Officers Baro and Onitsha.

Provincial Marine Headquarters,
Lokoja, Northern Nigeria.
30th May, 1913.

NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

416 Traffic Statement for the week ending 24th May 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING. Public.	COACHING. Govt.	GOODS. Public.	GOODS. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 24th May 1913 ...	2,290	328	7,550	1,099	21	12	11,300
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,995	305	6,679	1,106	22	7	10,114
Increase ...	295	23	871	—	—	5	1,186
Decrease ...	—	—	—	7	1	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	43,468	6,854	202,783	24,622	436	451	278,614
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	35,484	6,636	115,349	23,062	415	349	181,295
Increase ...	7,984	218	87,434	1,560	21	102	97,319
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £12·39

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Idio-Jebba South 306 miles	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,947	140	431	100	2,618
Goods	7,039	36	972	602	8,649
Telegraph	15	—	1	5	21
Sundries	7	1	3	1	12
Total for Week	9,008	177	1,407	708	11,300
Total for current year	182,700	4,725	61,945	29,244	278,614
Corresponding period of 1912	144,217	4,907	29,449	2,722	181,295
Increase	38,483	—	32,496	26,522	97,319
Decrease	—	182	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	201	870	25	3	1,099
Total for current year ...	3,898	18,614	1,903	207	24,622
Corresponding period of 1912	3,073	13,211	1,055	5,723	23,062
Increase ...	825	5,403	848	—	1,560
Decrease ...	—	—	—	5,516	—

TRAMWAY.

	£
For the Week	62
Total for current year	1,357
Corresponding period of 1912	1150
Increase	207
Decrease	—

Ebute Metta,
12th June, 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant

T. H. M. BONELL,
for Acting General Manager.

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Additions.

(1) Schedule of rates for goods traffic from Jengre Station to Stations on the Nigerian Railway (Bauchi Section) and the Coast.

Station to	Goods Rates per ton Owner's Risk. Classes. A.		1		2		3		Station to	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.			
Iddo	78	7	114	7	231	11	393	6	Ido	30	7th July 1913.
Baro	57	4	92	1	186	11	326	0	Baro		
Zaria	17	2	28	4	56	8	137	4	Zaria		
Awai	14	10	24	6	48	11	118	8	Awai		
Soba	12	4	20	4	40	8	98	8	Soba		
Duchi-N-Wai ...	10	2	16	9	33	7	81	4	Duchi-N-Wai ...		
Karre	6	0	13	2	26	5	64	0	Karre		
Kudaru	6	2	10	2	20	4	49	4	Kudaru		
Rahama	2	4	3	10	7	8	18	8	Rahama		

These rates are also applicable between Jengre and Burutu.

(2) Special Rates on Tin ore per ton Owner's Risk.

To Jengre.	To Baro	To Burutu or Iddo.	From Jengre.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
	261/10	288/10		30	7th July 1913.

3—Special rates on imported Mining tools, Boring Plant, and Machinery of all kinds per ton, Owner's Risk.

To Jengre.	To or from Baro.	To or from Burutu or to Iddo.	To Jengre.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
	323/9	368/9		30	7th July 1913

NOTE:— A terminal of 2/6 is charged on all Traffic to and from Iddo.

4—Special rates on Coal and Patent Fuel in truck loads per ton Owner's Risk.

From Iddo or Burutu.	To Jengre.	From Iddo or Burutu.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
	45/4		30	7th July 1913.

NOTE:—There will be no terminal on Coal and Patent Fuel at Iddo.

Schedule of Passenger rates to and from Jengre Station on the (Nigerian Railway) Bauchi Section and the Coast.

Station to	Distance from Jengre.	Single Journey Fare. 1st Class.		2nd Class.		3rd Class.		Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
	Miles.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.		
Iddo	725	167	10	60	5	19	3	31	7th July 1913.
Baro	369	92	3	30	9	7	8		
Zaria	103	25	9	8	7	2	2		
Awai	89	22	3	7	5	1	10		
Soba	74	18	6	6	2	1	7		
Duchi-N-wai ...	61	15	3	5	1	1	3		
Karre	48	12	0	4	0	1	0		
Kudaru	37	9	3	3	1	0	9		
Rahama	14	3	6	1	2	0	4		

NOTE:—All classes of traffic will be booked from any Station on the Lagos and Baro-Kano Sections to any station on the Bauchi Section and *vice versa*. Rates where not specially quoted will be arrived at by taking the sum of the two rates shewn in the Tariff to and from Zaria.

By Order,

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager.

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Additions.

SCHEDULE OF GOODS RATES TO AND FROM IFO.

Goods rates from Ifo to all Stations.

Station to	Distance from Ifo Miles	Owner's Risk Classes A	1	2	3	Palm Oil	Station to	Distance from Ifo Miles	Owner's Risk Classes A	1	2	3	Palm Oil	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		
Iddo	32	5 4	8 10	17 7	26 5	9 11	Ilegbo	134	22 4	36 10	73 8	110 7	50 3	27	
Ebute-Metta	30	5 0	8 3	16 6	24 9	11 3	Origo	143	23 10	39 4	78 8	118 0	53 8		
Oshodi	25	4 2	6 11	13 9	20 8	9 5	Ede	150	25 0	41 3	82 6	123 9	56 3		
Agege	20	3 4	5 6	11 0	16 6	7 6	Oshogbo	160	26 8	44 0	88 0	132 0	60 0		
Algbado	15	2 6	4 2	8 3	12 5	5 8	Ikirun	173	28 10	47 7	95 2	142 9	64 11		
Ijoko	11	1 10	3 0	6 1	9 1	4 2	Okuku	183	30 6	50 4	100 8	151 0	68 8		
Kajala	6	1 0	1 8	3 4	4 11	2 3	Offa	192	32 0	52 10	105 7	158 5	72 0		
Olumu	4	0 8	1 1	2 2	3 4	1 6	Illa Market	204	33 8	55 6	111 0	166 6	76 6		
Agbesi	8	1 4	2 2	4 5	6 7	3 0	Gama	214	34 8	56 9	113 6	170 3	80 3		
Itori	13	2 2	3 7	7 2	10 9	4 11	Ilorin	220	35 0	57 6	115 0	172 6	82 6		
Wasimi	17	2 10	4 6	9 4	14 0	6 5	Oyum-River	228	35 11	58 6	117 0	175 6	85 6		
New-Owowo	21	3 6	5 9	11 7	17 4	7 11	Jodomo	238	36 11	59 9	119 6	179 3	89 3		
Isawo	26	4 4	7 2	14 4	21 5	9 9	Lunwa	248	37 10	61 0	122 0	183 0	93 0		
Alagada	29	4 10	8 0	15 11	23 11	10 11	Elebu	255	38 6	61 11	123 9	185 8	95 8		
Abeokuta	35	5 10	9 8	19 3	28 11	13 2	Bode-Sadu	264	39 3	63 0	125 0	189 0	99 0		
Lafenwa	35	5 10	9 8	19 3	28 11	13 2	Jebba South	281	40 11	65 2	130 3	195 5	105 5		

GOODS RATES FROM IFO TO ALL STATIONS.

Station to	Distance from Ifo. Miles.	Owner's Risk. Classes. A	1	2	3	Palm Oil.	Station to	Distance from Ifo. Miles.	Owner's Risk Classes A	1	2	3	Palm Oil.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.			
Arikola	42	7 0	11 7	23 1	34 8	15 9	Jebba North ...	282	41 0	65 3	130 6	195 9			
Sanushi	48	8 0	13 2	26 5	39 7	18 0	Tatabu	295	42 2	66 11	133 9	200 8			
Opeji	50	8 4	13 9	27 6	41 3	18 9	Mokwa	307	43 1	67 11	135 11	203 8			
Ernwa-Road ...	62	10 4	17 1	34 1	51 2	23 3	Bokani	319	43 9	68 7	137 5	205 8			
Olokemeji ...	66	11 0	18 2	36 4	54 5	24 9	Charati	336	44 9	69 7	139 6	208 6			
Ogunshileh ...	70	11 8	19 3	38 6	57 9	26 3	Tabu	347	45 5	70 3	140 11	210 4			
Ilugun	79	13 2	21 9	43 5	65 2	29 8	Kooty-Wenji ...	359	46 1	70 11	142 5	212 4		27	
Adio	87	14 6	23 11	47 10	71 9	32 8	Geirkum	371	46 10	71 8	143 11	214 4			
Moor Plantation ...	94	15 8	25 10	51 8	77 7	35 3	Akerri	379	47 3	72 1	144 11	215 8			
Ibadan	97	16 2	26 8	53 4	80 0	36 5	Wushishi ...	393	48 1	72 11	146 8	218 0			
Olodo	108	18 0	29 8	59 5	89 1	40 6	Zungeru	404	48 9	73 7	148 0	219 10			
Lalupon	114	19 0	31 4	62 8	94 1	42 9	Beji	423	49 10	74 8	150 5	223 0			
Iwo	127	21 2	34 11	69 10	104 9	47 8	Minna Junction ...	442	50 11	75 9	152 9	226 2			
Station to North of Minna Junction.															
She	460	52 0	76 10	155 0	229 2										
Guni	478	53 1	77 11	157 3	232 2										
Kuchi	486	53 6	78 4	158 3	233 6										
Serikin Pawa ...	500	54 4	79 2	160 0	235 10										
Godani	517	55 4	80 2	162 2	238 8										
Bakin Kasua ...	528	56 0	80 10	163 6	240 6										
Kaduna... ...	547	57 1	81 11	165 11	243 8										
Rigachikun ...	560	57 10	82 8	167 6	245 10										
Birnin-Yaro ...	571	58 6	83 4	168 11	247 8										
Dumbi	586	59 4	84 2	170 9	250 2										
Zaria	597	60 0	84 10	172 2	252 0										
Likoro	607	60 7	85 5	173 5	253 8										
Cimi Dabosa ...	618	61 3	86 1	174 9	255 6										

Special Rates from and to Iddo.

	Rate.		Terminal to be added.		Unginned Cotton.
	s.	d.	s.	d.	
Country Corn &c. ...	8	10	1	3	Insert station in its order on page 82
Corrugated Iron ...	8	10	2	6	
Gin	16	0	2	6	
Kerosine Oil (not less than 6 tons) ...	12	0	2	6	
Oil Fuel & Oil for Motive Power ...	12	0	2	6	
Palm Kernels ...	10	2	—		

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GOODS RATES FROM IFO TO ALL STATIONS.

Station to North of Minna Junction.	Distance from Ifo.	Owner's Risk, Classes. A		1		2		3		Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
		s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.		
Faiki	641	62	7	87	5	177	8	259	4		
Rafin Gora	665	64	0	88	10	180	8	263	4		
Kano	687	65	3	90	1	183	5	267	0		
South of Minna Junction.											
Shapa	456	51	9	76	7	154	6	228	6	27	
Kateregi	481	53	3	78	1	157	8	232	8		
Ebba	494	54	0	78	10	159	3	234	10		
Badeggi	510	54	11	79	9	161	3	237	6		
Bakoji	526	55	10	80	8	163	3	240	2		
Katcha	539	56	7	81	5	164	11	242	4		
Baro	553	57	5	82	3	166	8	244	8		

NOTICE:—A terminal of 2/6 per ton is charged on all bookings to and from Iddo and Baro except where otherwise specified.

Schedule of Special Rates for Kerosine Oil from Apapa for consignment of not less than 6 tons at Owner's Risk.

KEROSINE OIL FLASHING AT ABOVE 76° FAHR.

	s.	d.		s.	d.		s.	d.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
Ebute Metta ...	1	6	Ernwa-Road ...	25	3	Oyun River ...	43	3		
Oshodi ...	3	5	Olokemeji ...	26	4	Jodomo ...	44	11		
Agege ...	5	3	Ogunshileh ...	27	6	Lanwa ...	46	9		
Agbado ...	7	2	Ilugun ...	29	11	Elebu ...	47	9		
Ijoko ...	8	8	Adio ...	32	2	Bode-Sadu ...	49	5		
Kajala ...	10	6	Ibadan ...	34	11	Jebba-South ...	51	11		
Olumu ...	11	8	Olodo ...	34	11	Jebba-North ...	52	1		
Ifo ...	12	10	Lalupon ...	34	11	Tatabu ...	54	3		
Agbesi ...	13	2	Iwo ...	34	11	Mokwa ...	56	3		
Itori ...	15	0	Ilegbo ...	34	11	Bokani ...	58	3		
Wasimi ...	16	6	Origo ...	34	11	Charati ...	61	1		24th June 1913.
New Owowo ...	18	0	Ede ...	34	11	Tabu ...	63	1		
Inawo ...	19	11	Oshogbo ...	34	11	Kooty-Wenji ...	64	11	28	
Alagada ...	21	0	Ikirun ...	34	11	Gierkun ...	66	11		
Abeokuta ...	24	0	Okuku ...	35	7	Akerri ...	68	1		
Lafenwa ...	24	0	Offa ...	37	3	Wuterri ...	70	3		
Arikola ...	24	0	Illa-Market	39	3	Zungeru ...	72	5		
Sanushi ...	24	0	Gama ...	40	9	Beji ...	75	7		
Opeji ...	24	0	Ilorin ...	41	11	Minna ...	78	0		

Consignments of less than 6 tons will be charged at Second Class Rate.

A terminal of 2/6 a ton is charged on all bookings to & from Apapa.

Rates between Kateregi and Ocean Steamers and River Ports.

Kateregi and	Distance Miles.		Goods Rates at Owner's Risk, Class. A	1	2	3	Date of Circular No.	Date to have effect.
Lokoja ...	142	H.W.	18/9	27/4	54/7	81/11	29	24th June 1913.
		L.W.	20/3	30/4	60/7	90/11		
Onitsha ...	278	H.W.	30/-	38/1	76/1	114/2		
		L.W.	33/3	90/1	...	135/2		
Burutu, Forcados or Ocean Steamers at Burutu & Forcados.	474	H.W.	33/3	42/4	84/7	126/11		
		L.W.	38/9	48/4	96/7	144/11		

SPECIAL THROUGH RATES BETWEEN KATEREGI AND OCEAN STEAMERS AND RIVER PORTS.

Kateregi	Distance Miles.		Owner's Risk, Dressed skins per ton.		Undressed skins per ton.		Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
			s	d.	s.	d.		
Lokoja	342	H.W.	58	4	34	10	29	24th June 1913.
		L.W.	65	10	40	10		
Onitsha	278	H.W.	85	3	56	4		
		L.W.	102	9	70	4		
Burutu, Forcados, or Ocean Steamers at Burutu or Forcados	474	H.W.	95	10	64	10		
		L.W.	110	10	76	10		

Notes :—Goods can only be accepted for conveyance between Baro and Burutu and Forcados subject to accommodation being available on Government Craft.
H.W. Means High Water, which rates apply from June 20th to December 15th inclusive.
L.W. Means Low Water, which rates apply from December 16th to June 19th inclusive.
A terminal of 2/6 per ton is charged on all bookings to and from Baro except where otherwise specified.

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta, 28th April, 1913.

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IMPERIAL INSTITUTE.

REPORT OF CEARA RUBBER FROM NORTHERN NIGERIA.

By Professor Wyndam R. Dunstan, M.A. F.R.S. Director.

Regd. No. 4748. The Ceara rubber which is the subject of this report was forwarded for examination to the Imperial Institute by the Director of Agriculture in Northern Nigeria with letter No. 903 of the 23rd December 1912.

The sample consisted mainly of balls and strips of rubber prepared by the Lewa process, together with a few very small biscuits. It was desired to ascertain the quality and value of the rubber prepared by the Lewa method, as it was thought to be very doubtful whether the natives could undertake the preparation of the rubber in the form of biscuits.

The strips of rubber were light brown, clean and well-prepared, and very satisfactory in physical properties. The balls were darker in colour and not of such good appearance as the strips owing to the development of mould on the surface.

For the purpose of chemical examination the strips of rubber were taken and were found to have the following composition:

	per cent
Loss of Washing (moisture and impurities	8·6
Composition of dry washed rubber:	
Caoutchouc	82·3
Resin	7·6
Protein	8·4
Ash	1·7

The rubber is therefore of very fair quality, comparing favourably in composition with specimens of Ceara rubber prepared in East Africa by the Lewa process. Ceara rubber obtained by this method usually contains a rather high percentage of protein, as the whole of the protein present in the latex is included in the rubber.

Ceara rubber in strips or balls similar to these samples would always be readily saleable. The rubber in strips would be more valuable than that collected in balls, and as the preparation of the strips involves no difficulty the collection of the rubber in this form should be encouraged. It is impossible to give a definite valuation for such a small sample, but rubber in strips similar to the sample would probably be worth about 3/6 per lb. in London with fine hard Para at 3/11 per lb., whilst the balls would probably realise a few pence per lb. less, say 3/3 to 3/4 per lb.

Further tapping experiments on the Ceara trees growing in Northern Nigeria should be carried out, and if possible a small consignment of about 56 lbs. of the rubber should be prepared in strips and forwarded to the Imperial Institute for sale in London. In this way the market value of the product would be definitely determined.

WYNDAM R. DUNSTAN.

10th April, 1913.

CROP STATISTICS.

KABBA PROVINCE, KABBA DIVISION.

BY MR. RESIDENT, J. A. LEY-GREAVES.

JUNE 1913.

Yams. This is the principal crop throughout the Province. Average yield in a good year 1,300 yams to the acre.

Weight roughly 4 tons. Price if sold in market £3 10/- to £4. If sold in ground £2 12s. 6d. In this case all the labour of digging and carrying are avoided by the grower. Average cost of production, that is, labour etc., per acre £1 12/-.

These figures were obtained by measuring up small plots some as small as 40th of an acre others as large as half an acre. The figures given are the average. In a bad year this yield would fall considerably; this year at Kabba the yam crops have been good but in most parts of the Province the crops were poor.

Guinea Corn. Yield per acre in the stalk 1,200 lbs. Threshed 620 lbs. Value per acre 19/- nearly. Value per bundle of 60 lbs. in the stalk 1/-.

These figures as regards guinea corn are not very accurate as I had to measure up the ground after the crop had been harvested and then weigh the bundles of corn said to have been the results of the harvest. I weighed the bundles first then had some threshed and weighed the grain. The above figures were obtained.

KABBA PROVINCE.

AWORO DISTRICT, AGBAJA DIVISION.

BY MR. ASST. RESIDENT, H. B. JAMES.

(1.) On arrival at Agbaja (September 1912) I picked:—

4 plots which promised average crops of Guinea Corn.

3 plots which promised average crops of Yam.

The farms were of mixed quality. The largest plot I could find was less than ⅔ acre. The smallest taken was ¼ acre.

(2.) Statistics have been initiated in an unfortunate year:—

(*a.*) Lack of rain affected young guinea corn and yams.

(*b.*) Young guinea corn was attacked by an insect whose Aworo name is "Oni" (Hausa, "Shazuma" ?). There was a pestilence of these in the Aworo District, both on the plateau and in the low lying parts near the river.

(3.) Soil is not enriched artificially, there is no need to dig wells, irrigation is not practised, nor is any order observed in rotation of crops. Land reclaimed from bush is cultivated for four years at the outside, grass land for three, and then is allowed to lie fallow. There is plenty of land waiting to be brought under cultivation in place of that exhausted.

(4.) *Guinea Corn.* One plot proved a failure. The others produced at the following rates per acre:—

678 lbs. 464 lbs. 368 lbs. (The Oru's farms made by co-operative labour.) 502 lbs. is average yield per acre. Market price:— 2/- per bundle.

95 lbs. is average weight of bundle.
Unthreshed *produce from one acre fetches* 10s. 7d.

Average bundle, weighing 95 lbs., was threshed. It produced 44 lbs. of grain.

This sold at 3d. per "cashbowl" realises 2/3
Threshed produce from one acre fetches 11/10.

(5.) *Yams.* The plots produced at the following rates per acre:—

448	good.	240	small.	528	worthless.
388	"	208	"	188	"
370	"	235	"	321	"

Thus the average yields per acre are:—
402 *good.* 227 *small.*

A bundle of 6 good yams (assorted sizes) is sold for 6d. Small yams are sold for planting at 100 for 5/-. Produce of average acre of yam fetches £2 0s. 3d.

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(7.) I should state that the produce of the marked plots was gathered and stored under the supervision of the Native Administration.

CENTRAL PROVINCE—BAUCHI DIVISION.

BY MR. THIRD CLASS RESIDENT GRIER

DECEMBER 1912.

The soil near Bauchi is poor and the crops are light; further it is not suitable for the growing of double crops as is done in most of the villages. In a great part of the country Gero and Dawa are grown on the farms.

Near Bauchi too it is practically impossible to find the true farmer. Nearly every one combines a trade or some occupation with farming. It is only in the villages and among the "Habe" that one finds the man whose whole work is given to his farm. Unfortunately one cannot sit down at such places long enough to get accurate figures.

In August I was at Lokwondu. There were two farms on the banks of a stream, planted entirely with guinea corn, the soil being probably too heavy for millet. One consisted of some 17 acres and was farmed by the Maigidda and two sons. He stated that he had taken 400 bundles off the farm the previous year. This was confirmed by his Angwa Head and Village Head. The next farm consisted of some 8 acres and was farmed by one man, who received help from his wife; his son was only old enough to scare birds. He stated that he obtained 180 bundles from his farm.

At Bunga in Warji a single-handed farmer, who was also the local hunter, had a farm of some 7 acres from which he stated that last year (a bad year for all crops) he obtained 43 bundles of millet and 140 bundles of guinea corn. Unfortunately in these cases I did not enquire about other crops.

I was of course unable to check these figures and merely give them to emphasize the point that at any rate in this Division, the true farmer can only be found in the villages and that if statistics are based on records obtained near Residencies and therefore near large towns, the results may be misleading.

Of the three men whose farms I have measured, only one, Mai-Angwa appears to have no other work. He is a man of some age and told me that in a normal year in the past he obtained 120 baskets of cassava and from 40 to 50 bundles of guinea corn. This year he has only a small amount of ground under cassava.

Of the other two men, Yendo is in attendance on the Emir and frequently used as a messenger. Alu owns a few cattle and retails kolas in the market. None of them receive any assistance on their farms.

Except among the Habe villages, the people of this Division seem poor farmers. Even the rapid rise in the price of foodstuffs and the great demand which has sprung up seems to have made little or no impression. . . . .In the Northern Independent States however the farms are being increased every year.

The only manuring which appears to be done is by bringing cattle on to the farm. Large numbers of farmers own a few cattle and so are able to manure their farms in this way. Round Bauchi no work is done on the farm except during the farming season. The people are essentially "chin rani" farmers or men who do not work on their farms during the dry season.

The three farms measured were as follows:—
Yendo, age 35, 3 acres of guinea corn produced 45 bundles, average weight 41 lbs., Yendo also planted Gero but the early drought ruined the crop and he only got one bundle. He also had a small patch about 7 perches of sweet potatoes and ground nuts producing roughly one basket of each. In some years he has farmed rice, but not this year. He obtained two bundles of guinea corn from his compound in the town.

Alu, age 45, 3 acres 6 perches under guinea-corn, producing 48 bundles, average weight 42 lbs., also about one-fifth of an acre under "risga" and rice which he estimates produces 11 baskets of risga and one basket of rice. He obtained 6 bundles of guinea corn from his compound and a small plot behind his compound in the town.

Mai-Angwa, age 56, 2 acres 16 perches under guinea corn, producing 31 bundles of an average weight of 48 lbs, also 12 perches under cassava which

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will probably produce about 6 baskets. In former years he has farmed more extensively especially cassava of which he obtained in an average year about 120 baskets, as well as from 40 to 50 bundles of corn. He states that he does not manure his land which is less fertile than in the past.

I found that the average weight of threshed corn compared to the bundle was 2/3rd. Thus a 41½ lbs. bundle produced 27½ lbs. of grain, a 48 lbs. bundle produced 31½ lbs. of grain.

The staple crop round Bauchi is guinea corn. Very little millet is grown, the ground is not apparently suitable. A little rice, cassava or ground nuts and similar crops are generally grown by each farmer, but on a very small scale. I have not seen as much as an acre under any of these crops, and so cannot give statistics as to the weight of produce per acre, except in the case of guinea corn.

As regards guinea corn, the results of the experiments seem to show for an average acre:—

Product.	Weight on stalk.	Weight of grain threshed.	Value per acre.
Guinea-corn	600 lbs.	400 lbs.	11/3d.

It is difficult to give the proper value of guinea-corn, as the constant outside demands from the Mines, cause rapid variations in the price. At present a bundle of from 40 to 50 lbs. of corn on the stalk will fetch as much as 1/-, whereas if threshed out and sold by measure it will only realize from 9d. to 10d. Taking the minimum price we get a value of 11/3d. an acre; but the price of corn here rises so rapidly, that any farmer who holds up his produce realizes a much higher price.

The price of a basket of cassava is 1/6d., a basket of rice 2/-, a basket of sweet potatoes 2/-, and of ground nuts from 1/3d. to 1/6d.

In the village market, 17 miles North and East of Bauchi the price of corn is less. There a bundle of corn weighing from 40 to 50 lbs. costs 9d as against 1/- in Bauchi town.

MURI PROVINCE.

BY SECOND CLASS RESIDENT CAPT. C. F. ROWE,
(Late in Charge Munshi Division.)
MARCH 1913.

Benniseed (Ridi).—Lieut. Waters. (Munshi) 240 to 270 lbs per acre.

Gero.—(Millet).
(*a.*) *Kwolla District.*—1 ton 1 cwt. 3 qrs per acre.

(*b.*) *Ankwe District.*—(1728 lbs per acre) 15 cwt. 1 qr. 20 lbs.)

(*c.*) *Munshi Division.*—500 lbs per acre

(*d.*) *Lau Division.*—2300 lbs per acre on stalk (or 862½ lbs of grain) 1 ton 2 qrs. 4 lbs. per acre.

(1.) Eliminating No C. as probably incorrect we may assume an average crop as of 1 ton per acre (on Stalk).

(2.) An average farm bundle weighs say 40 lbs, value 3d. on farm, or 56 bundles at 3d.=14/- per acre.

Dawa.—(Guinea Corn).

(*a.*) R. C. MISSION.—17 bundles at 3d. per acre=4/2 per acre; (but this is amongst "Mixed Crops.")

(*b.*) CAPTAIN RUXTON.—400 lbs of grain per acre.

(*c.*) LAU DIVISION.—1937½ lbs on stalk or 1212½ lbs grain per acre.

1. Eliminating (A) and striking a mean between (B) and (C) we have say 800 lbs of grain per acre.

2. A "cash-bowl" of Guinea corn grain weighs 2½ lbs and an average Ibi price is 4 cash bowls for 3d. (3 for 3d. in scarcity, 5 for 3d. in plenty)—average therefore equals 10 lbs for 3d.=20/- per acre (D/d Ibi);

3. An average farm "bundle" of Guinea Corn is say (say) 40 lbs, and is worth (say) 3d. per bundle *on the farm*, therefore, again taking the average produce on stalk as say 1,400 lbs, (a mean between (B) and (C) we have a value *on the stalk*, and *on the farm* of say 8/9 per acre.

Ground Nuts.—(Gedda).

(*A.*) My own notes give average product per acre 20/-

(*B.*) Mr. Holme's=600 lbs undecorticated, or 400 lbs decorticated per acre poor farms near Mutum Biu.

2,000 lbs undecorticated, or 10,000 lbs decorticated per acre from good farms at Jalingo and G. Dogo.

Mr. Holme does not quote the price given at Lau but 1 cash bowl of *decorticated* nuts in Ibi=2 lbs=1d. (November 1910). The value of his best crops as above,=say £2 *per acre*. I take this figure as a standard as these Jalingu and other people deal with this product specially for the Lau Market but they would not obtain retail prices (1 cash bowl=1d.) and a fair average value per acre might therefore be 30/- (decorticated).

Indigo.—(A.) My own notes are as got from insufficient experience but I should value this crop at 20/- per acre in the form its cultivation is carried out in Muri.

Rice—(Shinkafa.)

(A.) My own notes in Ibi gave a value of 20/- *per acre* on a poor crop, at market rate of 5 cash bowls in husk=3d. (1 cash bowl=2 lbs in husk or 3½ lbs when beaten clean).

(B.) Mr. Resident Nevill's notes in Lau Division (1911) gave 20 bags=930 lbs Rice per acre, at a local market value of 10d. per bag (16/8) per acre) in husk or 1/8 per bag (33/4 per acre) when cleaned.

I consider that for assessment purposes a value of 20/- per acre would be a fair one on a well cultivated and situated farm.

Sweet Potatoes.—(Dunkali).

(A.) My own plantation at Ibi (on Father Waller's, Roman Catholic Mission methods) gave a result of 8,000 lbs per acre selling at 1/- per basket of approx. 200 lbs or 40/- *per acre*.

(B.) Father Waller's farm has given 36,715 lbs (say 16 tons) per acre, which at Ibi prices as above would have realized £9. 3s. 0d. per acre.

There is no doubt that this product (with yams), where it (they) are in demand are the best paying to the native, particularly if their cultivation and preparation of the farm is improved.

For the usual native farm under present conditions I should assume 30/- per acre a fair value for Assessment purposes.

Yams.—(*a.*) Assistant Resident Munshi Division (Lt. Waters) gives average crop:—(1) 1,375 yams per acre 20th January 1911. (2.) 1,720 yams per acre 1912.

(*b.*) My own tests in Ibi realized at then Ibi prices (January 1911) of 2d. each, a value of £8 per acre.

(*c.*) Father Waller's averages=3,900 yams per acre (from 1,300 plants) which at Ibi price 2d. each would realise £32. 10s. 0d. per acre, or say a value of £10. 6s. 10d. per acre at Tshendam—but this is on *ploughed* land.

It would be fairer however to fix a value of say 12 for 1/- *on farms* in the Ibi District &c. and 24 for 1/- in Munshi country &c. as a fair value to the farmer.

This would result in (*vide* above.)
c. (1) 1,375 per acre=57/- per acre.
a. (2) 1,720 per acre=76/- per acre.
b. My own tests =80/- per acre.
c. Father Waller's tests 108/- per acre.

It must be borne in mind however that the Munshis grow little more (if any) than for their own consumption and that transport would be an expensive item if considered at all.

I am therefore inclined to take an average farm value in Munshi Country at say £3 per acre but when grown by others in proximity to good markets where the demand is a good one (as in Ibi) say £4 per acre.

It is markedly obvious from above how much greater results are achieved by proper cultivation ploughing, &c. than from native methods (vide B. & C. above).

Mixed Crops:—Information from Father Waller viz:
(*a*) Total area of (18½ acres):—(10½ acres gero and dawa, 2¼ acres Beans 5½ acres Benniseed).

Realization:—

220 bundles Gero (20 lbs=3d.	£2.	7. 0.
70 bundles Dawa (46 lbs=3d. (or say 6/6 acre)	0.	17. 6.
	£3.	4. 6.
Beans. ... (or say 20/- acre).	2.	3. 6.
Benniseed. ... (or say 4/6 acre).	1.	2 0.
Total.	£6.	10. 0.

=7/- per acre. (18½ acres) at local cash values in Ankwe District of Ibi Division.

The above farmed by 1 man 4 wife and 1 boy 6 persons.

Other examples similar to above (Mixed Crop) give:—

(*b*) 17½ acres (4 men 6 women)=£7. 18s. or 9/- per acre.

(*c*) 6 acres (1 man 1 woman)=£2. 5s. or 7/6 per acre.

(*d*) 3½ acres (1 man 4 woman)=£9. 11s. 3d. or 12/- per acre.

(*e*) 3 acres . . . . . =£1. 2s. 6d. or 7/6 acre.

Beans. Beans appear to give a very good average result per acre (3 examples give 20/-, 18/-, and 20/- per acre respectively).

The crop (Gujia) is a 3 months one and may follow on that of the Gero.

Cassava. Father Waller gives some 8½ tons of Cassava per acre, 1694 plants to the acre at an average weight of 11½ lbs per root per plant.

This is however on ploughed ground.

I regret that though this is such a common crop in Muri I have no records of native farms as they do not take it off the land at any fixed time.

Cotton. Ibi Experimental Plots gave nett returns per acre as:—

Nyassa Upland 324 lbs. Bassa 374 lbs. Ilorin 360 lbs.

2. It is impossible to judge any return per acre from local Munshi cultivation as it is spread about within the yam patches.

3. I assume a fair average value of the cotton now generally grown in Muri Province as £1. 2s. 6d. per acre at the B.C.G.A. price of 1d. per lb in seed.

4. It may be noted here that B.C.G.A. reports stated that the best cotton as yet taken from Northern Nigeria was that grown on the Ibi Experimental plots viz, Nyassa Upland.

3 Shortly my summary amounts to:
Benniseed 16/10½ (say 17/-) per acre.
Millet 14/- (on stalk) per acre (on farm).
Guinea Corn 9/- (on stalk) per acre (on farm or say 20/- per acre *on Grain* at average Ibi prices.
Ground-nuts 30/- per acre (after decortication).
Indigo 20/- per acre. Rice 20/- per acre.
Sweet potatoes 30/- per acre.

Yam 60/- per acre (vide my notes). Mixed crops say 9/- per acre (*i.e.* an average of the five examples given). *Beans* (Gujia) 20/- per acre. *Cassava* . . . . . (further particulars required).

4. I have come to the personal conclusion, from various notes and observations, that 25/- per annum is about the cost of an adult native's living and that

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an average area under cultivation would be from 1 to 3 acres (mixed crops) per adult in accordance with the product under cultivation and character of each cultivation (consequently very varied).

Example A.—(mixed crops) confirm my opinion. Some 18 acres being farmed by 6 persons=3 acres each and a value of 7/- per acre-=21/- per adult.

Example C.—6 acres, 2 persons=3 acres each, 7/6 per acre=22/6 per adult.

I mention these instances as being Father Waller's figures given me after I had formed my own opinion

5. Again a Munshi *Yam-eater* would eat 2 good yams per diem—730 p.a. which at 24 for 1/-=say 30/- p.a. but in this case if and as a Yam "eater" alone, he would secure his livelihood from but a ½ acre's cultivation.

6. You may note that the average of the figures in paragraph 3 above is in itself (say) 23/-*

In considering the figures I would remind you that extensive cultivation is the only one practiced in this Province and that it may be said with truth that even "an acre" under cultivation does not exist.

Trees and stumps are invariably left on the farm and other patches of ground are in every direction left untilled.

Indigo, rice, maize and beans are only found in small scattered patches.

Sweet Potatoes and Yams. Appear to the statistician as the most profitable crops to sell for cash, but not apparently to the native.

In the Ibi District Cassava is certainly the most paying crop from the native point of view.

I consider that Cotton, Benniseed and Groundnuts are the crops whose cultivation should be pushed, but of these Benniseed is at present the only one where the cash return to the producer is sufficient to induce him to grow for the export market.

Cotton I think will soon be found by the growers to be remunerative but as to Groundnuts export buyers will not give cash.

*NOTE—by Resident Capt. F. H. Ruxton. In the Centre and East of the Province it would be near 30'.

REPORT ON THE DENT MAIZE EXPERIMENT AT NARAGUTA

BY MR. 3RD CLASS RESIDENT C. O. MIGEOD.
DATED 4th FEBRUARY 1913.

1. A small quantity of South African "Dent" Maize was received from the Director of Agriculture in June last for experiment on the Plateau.

2. Bunu the District Head, Naraguta, was instructed to choose a plot of ground most suitable for maize growing, to have it well manured and and prepared in the native way.

3. A plot was chosen in Naraguta town, measuring 31 yards long by 8½ broad.

4. The experiment proved a very great success.

5. The seed was planted in July and the crop gather early in October.

6. The cobs, which averaged over two per stalk, were exceedingly large, and the grain was well filled out. The total number of cobs gather was 460, and the grain from an averaged sized cob weighing 7¾ oz.; meaning a yield of 1¾ ton to the acre. As much as this however could not be expected off a large field.

7. The towns people are exceedingly pleased with the corn; and every grain has been kept for planting this year.

FARMS OUTSIDE GOMBE TOWN BY MR. RESIDENT P. LONSDALE, DECEMBER 1910.

No. of hoes on the farm.	Annual Yield in Bundles.		
	Gero	Dawa.	Maiwa.
3	50	—	
1	50	—	
5	150	20	
1	20	3	
1	100	40	
1	20	15	
2	110	60	
1	70	15	
2	60	10	
1	50	25	
1	170	—	
1	70	18	
3	110	38	
4	80	60	
1	100	20	
1	50	40	
1	100	30	
2	60	80	
4	100	3	
4	100	5	
1	100	5	
1	30	—	
1	50	13	
1	100	—	
1	100	6	
6	270	60	
3	200	60	
9	500	100	
4	400	30	
1	100	—	
2	50	20	
1	200	50	
2	200	30	
1	100	—	
3	130	4	
1	80	15	
1	17	6	
2	66	—	40
1	20	—	20
6	470	—	
2	80	—	
1	84	—	
1	50	—	
2	58	—	
2	130	25	
1	80	10	
2	100		
1	70	20	
1	70	20	
1	100	5	
1	70	—	
1	140	—	
1	50	—	
6	300	100	100
1	102	15	—
Total 112	6,287	1,076	160

NOTE.—A bundle may be taken to average 16 pounds of unthreshed, and 11½ pounds of threshed, grain.

Crop Statistics from Bakuru and Pankshin Districts by Mr. 3rd Class Resident C. O. Migeod, February 1913.

Farm.	Size.	No. of men working.	No. of women working.	Crop.	No. of Baskets reaped Weight of each.	Total Weight.	Value per Basket at Harvest.	Value per Basket end of season.	Average per Acre.
A	170 yds. x 70	1		Acha	8 (75 lbs. each)	600 lbs.	7/-	15/-	5 baskets or 375 lbs. value 35/- - 75/-
B	60 „ x 70	1		„	6 „	450 „	„	„	
C	100 „ x 40	1		„	4½ (77½ „)	350 „	„	„	
D	40 „ x 40	1		„	4 (70 „)	280 „	„	„	
E		2	1	„	20 (37½ „)	750 „	„	„	
F		1	1	„	10 (69 „)	690 „	„	„	
G		1		„	12 (65 „)	780 „	„	„	
H		1	1	Acha	10 (75 „)	750 „	„	„	
				Douro	6 (60 „)	360 „	4/-	8/-	
				Yams	10 (30 „)	300 „	6d.	1/-	
				Risga	10 (30 „)	300 „	6d.	1/-	
				Gwaza	8 (40 „)	320 „	6d.	1/-	
I		1		Acha	9 (75 „)	675 „	7/-	15/-	
				Yams	20 (30 „)	600 „	6d.	1/-	
				Risga	30 (30 „)	900 „	6d.	1/-	

Kanam Pankshin District.

J	1 Acre	Gero	140 lbs.	(1½d. per 5 lbs.)	(3d. per 5 lbs.)		140 lbs. value 3/6-7/-.

All pagan farmers might be said to be "stay-at-home," but very little is done in the way of manuring or improving the land, with the exception of letting it lie fallow every year or so.

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CROP STATISTICS GOMBE DIVISION, CENTRAL PROVINCE BY MR. ASSISTANT RESIDENT, T. F. CARLYLE, MAY 1913.

	Town.	Tribe.	House holders.	Farmers.	Traders various.	Purely Industrial.	Sick and new comers without farms.	New farms not yet under hig.	Hoes in workers.	Gero. Farms in use.	Gero. Farms.	Gero. Bundles.	Gero. Weight. Beaten.	Gero. Weight. Unbeaten.	Maiwa. Farms.	Maiwa. Bundles.	Maiwa. Weight. Beaten.	Maiwa. Weight. Unbeaten.	Dawa. Farms.	Dawa. Bundles.	Dawa. Weight. Beaten.	Dawa. Weight. Unbeaten.
1	Bodol	Fulani	186	149	48	6	13	—	252	166	123	10,452	15	20	—	—	—	—	132	18,294	34	40
2	Doma	,,	138	138	19	—	—	4	190	78	33	Not counted	—	—	—	—	—	—	132	24,761	15	20
3	Ililehi	,,	184	164	61	20	—	—	262	71	144	6,878	22	31	—	—	—	—	135	7,204	—	28
4	Kunde	,,	370	365	29	2	3	—	552	444	312	21,821	22½	32½	46	1,399	25	32	249	6,179	28	33
5	Budupt'i	Bollawa	46	46	8	—	—	—	70	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	46	5,640	—	18
6	Gadam	,,	419	394	278	22	3	47	894	363	—	—	—	—	264	47,675	5	6½	296	44,295	4½	6½
7	Liji ...	Teranva	187	181	17	3	3	—	602	61	50	Not counted	—	—	—	—	—	—	180	13,1649	3	4

1. By M. Babelli, (Government.) 2. By M. Ali. (Galladima.) 3. By Yerima. 4. By M. Babelli and Mohammadu. 5. By Sar Page.
6. By M. Mohammadu. 7. By M. Ali.

		Lbs. Unbeaten Grain. Gero.	Maiwa.	Dawa.	Total.	Averages. Unbeaten Dawa per House-holder.	Farmer.	Hoe.	Unbeaten Total grain per House-holder.	Farmer.	Hoe.
1	Bodol	209,040	—	731,760	940,800	4,355	4,911	2,904	5,600	6,314	3,733
2	Doma	?	—	495,220	?	3,588	3,588	2,620	3,588	3,588	2,620
3	Ililehi	213,218	—	201,712	414,930	1,096	1,230	770	2,255	2,530	1,583
4	Kunde	709,182	44,768	203,907	957,857	551	558	369	2,588	2,624	1,732
5	Budupti	—	—	101,520	101,520	2,207	2,207	1,450	2,207	2,207	1,450
6	Gadam	—	309,880	287,917	597,797	687	730	322	1,426	1,517	668
7	Liji	?	—	526,596	?	2,816	2,909	875	2,816	2,909	875

Shamaki Abba's 9 acre farm produced 370 bundles of dawa which average 16 lbs. unbeaten and 11½ lbs. beaten grain total production 5,920 unbeaten or 4,255 beaten—production per acre 658 unbeaten or 474 beaten. Seven male servants; themselves householders, had worked on this farm. Dawa farming begins in May with the sowing of the grain and the protection of the grain from the guinea fowl. The plants should show about 3 days after the sowing. When they are about 15 days old comes the "noman piri" or "fari" the big hoe work which in the case of Shamaki's farm occupied the 7 labourers 22 days of a month. Then comes the "mai mai" the continuous tending which lasts till the corn is ripening but is not heavy work. The 7 labourers devoted their time to this farm and their own comparatively small farms near Gombe. For this they were fed and they got a gown each after the harvest.

Shamaki Abba also had gero farm; worked by other members of his household, which produced last year 140 bundles only.

Last year was a bad one and Shamaki Abba's farm is away from the river and poor land for dawa.

It will be noticed that although in the case of the pagan towns of Gadam and Liji the hoes average two three-fifth to each farmer (three one-tenth Liji) as against 1¼ in the 4 Fulani towns the production per hoe in the 2 pagan towns is very much less. This is instructive as far it goes.

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OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 28TH JUNE, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 25th June:—
Lieuts. A. F. P. Knapp, S. H. Drummond, Sergt. E. W. J. Robinson, N.N.R., Messrs. T. H. Haughton, W. Morgan, Asst. Residents, Dr. R. Willan, Medical Officer.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 25th June:—
Lieuts. R. S. Paton, G. V. Brefft, N.N.R.

LAGOS, 26th June:—
Colour Sergt. E. Doubleday, N.N.R., Sapper W. Pulfer, Tinfields Survey Party.

LAGOS, 27th June. (German Mail):—
Lieuts. M. H. S. Willis, H. H. Kennedy, N.N.R.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 26th June:—
Miss A. M. Poulter, Nurse Medical, Messrs. D. Murray, B. H. Littledale, A. E. Lane, Road Foremen, J. G. Rice, Asst. Engineer, P.W.D.; Colour Sergt. C. W. Channell, N.N.R., Dr. L. A. W. Davies, Medical Officer, Mr. L. W. La Chard, Asst. Commissioner of Police, Mr. W. B. Thomson, 3rd Class Resident.

BURUTU, 27th June:—
Sergt. I. Turner, N.N.R.

POSTINGS:— Haughton Muri, Morgan Nassarawa.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 27.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 5TH JULY, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 5th July:—
Sergt. Mulholland, N.N.R., Mr. W. Hudson, Deputy P.M.G.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 2nd July:—
Colour Sergt. F. Griffin, N.N.R.

LAGOS, 26th June:—
Mr. T. C. Newton, Asst. Resident.

LAGOS, 3rd July:—
Mr. H. R. Palmer, 2nd Class Resident, Mr. C. O. Miggod, 3rd Class Resident, Mr. J. F. J. Fitzpatrick, Asst Resident, Mr. J. G. Kirk, Asst. Accountant (3rd Grade) P.W.D.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 4th July:—
Messrs. C. C. Gerahty, H. Morgan-Owen, and Capt. S. C. Taylor, Asst. Residents, Mr. F. W. P. Soper, Asst Commissioner of Police, Lieut. A. P. Garnier, Armourer Sergt. J. W. Swain, Sergt. H. Canning, N. N. R., Mr. M. R. Smith, Junior Supdnt. Education, Messrs. N. E. Ritchie, A. Brown, Road Foremen, P. W. D., Dr. J. Lindsay, Medical Officer.

BURUTU, 5th July:—
Sergt. P. E. Morrell, Captains W. J. Terry, O. Oakes, N. N. R.

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Government Notice.

THE following regulations under the Master and Servant Proclamation is published for general information :—

By His Excellency's Command,

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
26th July, 1913.

Regulations made under Section 42 of the Master and Servant Proclamation.

1. In these regulations "Domestic Servant" means any servant who is employed in menial work in and about the dwelling house of a non-native ;

"Licensing Officer" means such officer as the Governor, by notice in the Gazette, shall authorise to perform in any part of the Protectorate, the duties of issuing licenses under these regulations ;

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"Court" means the Supreme Court, a Cantonment Court or a Provincial Court.

2. Any person desiring employment as a domestic servant shall apply to a licensing officer for a license.

3. A licensing officer on being satisfied of the good character and fitness of the applicant, may grant a license in the form contained in the schedule to these regulations on payment of a fee of 1/-; such license shall remain in force for the current year and shall be renewable, unless forfeited under the terms of these regulations, at the commencement of each succeeding year.

4. If any domestic servant has been convicted and sentenced by a court to any term of imprisonment for felony or misdemeanor, the fact of such conviction and the sentence imposed shall be endorsed on his license by the court before which the holder thereof is convicted, and such court shall immediately inform the licensing officer of such conviction and sentence or of the terms of any endorsement which may have been made by such court.

5. Every licence granted under these regulations shall be liable to be forfeited by the Governor upon endorsement thereon as provided in the preceding regulation or upon endorsement that the holder is in the opinion of the court unsuited for employment as a domestic servant.

6. Every person who shall be found in possession of a license or who shall apply for a license under these regulations, or who shall be found employed as a domestic servant, after having forfeited his license in accordance with the order of a court, shall be liable on conviction to a penalty of £20 or to imprisonment not exceeding three months.

7. Every person who acts in the capacity of a domestic servant without being first duly licensed, or who, on making a first application for such license, wilfully makes any false statement or declaration shall be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding £2. The onus of proving that he did not make such false statement or declaration wilfully shall be on the person charged.

8. Every license granted to any person under these regulations shall be produced when required by any justice of the peace or officer of the police force not below the rank of sergeant. Any domestic servant refusing to produce such license upon demand as aforesaid shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding 20/-.

9. Every non-native shall at such time as it may be necessary for a domestic servant in his employment to produce his license for a renewal by a licensing officer, write upon the said license an account of the manner in which the said domestic servant has performed his duties, also a statement regarding his character and capabilities, and the total monthly wages he has been receiving. Any non-native neglecting to comply with the provisions of this regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5. A licensing officer shall not renew a license unless the provisions of this regulation have complied with.

10. These regulations do not apply to any domestic servant who is able to show to the satisfaction of a licensing officer that he is not a native of African descent, nor to anyone who has been resident in the Protectorate for a period of less than one month.

11. Any non-native dismissing a domestic servant whom he may have introduced into the Protectorate to act for him in such capacity, shall be liable to defray all reasonable expenses of the return of such domestic servant, should the latter so request, to the place at which he was originally engaged without the Protectorate.

SCHEDULE.

Fee—One shilling.

LICENSE TO ACT AS DOMESTIC SERVANT.

....is hereby licensed to act in the capacity of a domestic servant until the day of 19

Licensing Officer.

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Government Notices.

THE following despatches from the Secretary of State for the Colonies are published for general information :—

419

Tropical African Services Course.

NORTHERN NIGERIA.
No. 301.

DOWNING STREET,
17th June, 1913.

Sir,

With reference to your despatch No. 97 of the 22nd of April (London, 13th of May) I have the honour to inform you that, in order to suit the convenience of certain of the Tropical African Governments, I have decided that a session of the Tropical African Services course shall be held from January to April 1915, to be followed by sessions from May to July 1915 and from November 1915 to February 1916, after which two courses only will be held in each year.

2. When all the officers already in the service who are required to attend have passed satisfactorily, it will be desirable to make further changes in the time table of the course and I trust that it may be possible to bring these changes into effect during 1915.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient,
humble servant,
L. HARCOURT.

Governor
SIR F. D. LUGARD, G.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O.
&c. &c. &c.

420 Board of Customs and Excise.

CIRCULAR.

DOWNING STREET,
17th June, 1913.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the Board of Customs and Excise has drawn my attention to the inconvenience resulting from numerous requests for information being addressed direct to the Board by officials of the Customs and other Departments in the Colonies.

2. While the Board are at all times ready and willing to assist Colonial Officials in the discharge of their duties by supplying them with information as to the Customs and Excise law and practice in England, the work imposed upon the staff of the Board in answering enquiries of this nature is considerable; and, with the view of restricting such enquiries to essential matters, I have decided that applications of this nature should in future be forwarded to the Board of Customs either by the Secretary of the Colony or Protectorate, to which the enquiry relates, or through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, by means of an official despatch.

3. I request that you will take the necessary steps to make this decision known in the Colony under your government.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient,
humble servant,
L. HARCOURT.

The Officer Administering
the Government of
Northern Nigeria.

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421 Native Courts.

WARRANTS establishing Native Courts under the Native Courts Proclamation with the approval of the Governor, under the Seal of the Protectorate, have been issued as under:—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of warrant.
Central.	"B"	Alkali's Court of Naraguta.	5th June 1913.
"	"C"	Alkali's Court of Rauta.	"
"	"	Alkali's Court of Zungur.	"
"	"	Alkali's Court of Leri.	"
"	"	Alkali's Court of M'barra.	"
"	"D"	Alkali's Court of Jengre.	"
"	"	Alkali's Court of Juga.	"
Bornu	"B"	Judicial Council of Fika.	11th June 1913.
Zaria	"D"	Alkali's Court of Kasuan Zaria	11th July 1913,
"	"	Alkali's Court of Kajuru	"
"	"	Alkali's Court of Kauru	"

The Warrants establishing the following Courts and Councils are cancelled:—

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

Alkali's Court of Rauta D. Grade dated 1st March 1906,

Alkali's Court of Zungur D. Grade dated 30th August 1906,

Alkali's Court of Leri D. Grade dated 12th July 1907,

Alkali's Court of M'barra D. Grade dated 12th May 1908,

Alkali's Court of Naraguta C. Grade dated 24th August 1911.

NIGER PROVINCE.

Alkali's Court of Paiko (Gwari) D. Grade dated 1st March 1906.

YOLA PROVINCE.

Judicial Councils of Kilba and Uba C. Grade dated 15th March 1910.

BORNU PROVINCE.

Judicial Council of Fika C. Grade dated 23rd May 1910.

422 Extract from London Gazette.

The following extract from the London Gazette dated 23rd May, 1913, is published for information:—

MEMORANDUM.

* * *

Lieutenant Joseph W. Chamley, The Border Regiment, is granted the local rank of Captain whilst employed with the West African Frontier Force. Dated 12th December, 1912.

423 Rise and Fall of the River Benue.

FOR THE MONTH ENDING MAY, 31ST 1913.

Date.	RIVER BENUE.			
	IBI.		ABINSI.	
	Rise ins.	Fall ins.	Rise ins.	Fall ins.
1st to 4th - -	3	1	9	—
Week ending 11th -	6	3	10½	—
do. 18th -	2	3	18½	—
do. 25th -	4	2	14½	—
26th to 31st	2½	2½	15½	—

Net Rise 6ins. Total Rise 5ft. 8ins.

424 Errata.

Notice No. 545 Gazette No. 17 of 1912, the third name of Mr. Peters is Olonode and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 618 Gazette No. 19 of 1912, the date of reabsorption of Captain J. C. Parker is 30th October 1912, and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 744 Gazette No. 23 of 1912, the date of reabsorption of Lieut. C. C. Schneider is 30th December 1912, and not as stated therein.

By His Excellency's Command,

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
31st July, 1913.

425 JUDICIAL NOTICES.

In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. J. O. Greenwood, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. J. O. Greenwood, deceased, who died in England on the 19th day of March 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 15th day of August 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 20th day of June 1913.

H. C. HALL,
Ex-Officio Administrator.

The Cantonment Magistrate's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

426 In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr John Corris, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. John James Corris deceased, who died at Jos in the Central Province on the 1st day of June 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. J. Ernest Snelus, the Provisional Administrator at Jos in the said Province, on or before the 30th day of September 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 3rd day of July, 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

427 In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. D. P. Green, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the late Mr. D. P. Green, deceased, who died at Naraguta in the Central Province on the 24th day of June 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. David Thomas, the Provisional Administrator at Naraguta in the said Province, on or before the 30th day of September 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 8th day of July 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

428 In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. Samuel Fagbile Johnson, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Samuel Fagbile Johnson, deceased, who died at Zaria on the 7th day of July, 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Assistant Resident W. H. Sykes, the Provisional Administrator at Zaria, on or before the 15th day of October 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 14th day of July 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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429 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. Alfred Robert Ingham Barrow ...	2nd Class Clerk and Operator	Post and Telegraphs ...	1st April 1913	Engaged locally.
Mr. Henry Wilson Ogbolu	do. do.	do. ...	do.	do.
Aji Bunu	Interpreter	Political Administrative ...	1st May 1913	do.
Mr. Christian U. Lawson	2nd Class Clerk and Operator	Post and Telegraphs ...	24th May 1913	29th May 1913.

430 **Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. G. F. Mason	Post and Telegraphs ...	Postmaster General	11th June 1913.	
Mr. W. J. O'Hara	do. ...	Deputy Postmaster General ...	do.	
Mr. K. V. Elphinstone ...	Political and Administrative	Resident Niger	16th June „	

431 **Confirmation of Appointment.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Dr. W. G. Cobb	Medical Officer	Medical	24th April 1912.	

432 **Termination of Appointments.**

Name	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mrs. H. M. Jones	Nurse	Medical	7th March 1913.	Ill-health.
Mr. J. P. Curran	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	Police	17th August „	do.

433 **Resignations.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. A. M. McKee	Assistant Commissioner of Police	Police	8th June 1912.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
George	Interpreter	Political & Administrative ...	1st may 1913 ...	

434 **Dismissals.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. D. D. Nyako	2nd Class Clerk	Public Works	30th June 1913.	
Mr. T. K. Johnson	Senior Warder	Prisons	11th July 1913.	

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435 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months.	Vacation. Days.	Return. Months.	Return. Days.	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Mr. N. M. Gepp ...	3rd Class Resident ...	2	—	2	—	—	17th July 1913	Full salary.
Mr. W. C. Hughes ...	Chief Dispenser and Storekeeper ...	2	20	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. H. E. Style ...	Mechanician Post and Telegraphs ...	—	50	—	50	23rd July 1913	—	do.
Mr. J. B. I. Mackay ...	Assistant Resident ...	2	—	2	—	—	24th July 1913	do.
Mr. P. H. Lamb ...	Director of Agriculture ...	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. G. Malcolm ...	3rd Class Resident ...	2	20	2	—	—	31st July ,,	do
Mr. H. D. Foulkes ...	do. ...	2	10	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. E. G. Findlay ...	Inspector of Works, P. W. D. ...	2	20	2	—	—	do.	do.
Invalided.								
Mr. F. Bisset Archer ...	Chief Assistant Treasurer	—	40	—	40	—	17th July ,,	do.
Mr. W. K. Fraser ...	3rd Class Resident	—	45	—	45	30th July 1913	—	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. G. A. Solomon ...	1st Class Clerk, Pol. and Administrative	3	—	—	—	—	19th June 1913	Full salary. Cape Coast.
Mr. S. J. Ejofo ...	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	3	—	—	—	—	—	Full salary. Onitsha. Left Lokoja 5th June 1913.
Mr. J. R. Allotey ...	2nd Class Clerk, P. W. D.	—	42	—	—	—	10th July ,,	Full salary. Accra.
Mr. J. T. E. Thompson ...	Storekeeper, Police	3	—	—	—	—	—	Full salary, Lagos. Left Zungeru 5th July 1913.
Mr. J. W. H. Lisk ...	1st Class Clerk, Pol. & Administrative ...	3	—	—	—	—	10th July ,,	Full salary. Sa. Leone.

436 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Mr. J. P. Curran ...	Asst. Commissioner of Police ...	4 months ...	17th April 1913	16th Aug. 1913	Half salary. Ill-health.
Miss J. A. Clark ...	Nurse, Medical	1 month & 20 days...	19th May 1913	8th July 1913	do. do.
Mr. Hanns Vischer ...	Director of Education ...	1 week ...	2nd July 1913	,,	Full salary.
Dr. M. W. Manuk ...	Medical Officer	1 month ...	20th Aug. 1913	19th Sept. 1913	Half salary. To enable him to attend a special course of Surgery at the Dreadnought Hospital.

437 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Mr. W. Morgan	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	11th July 1913.	
Mr. T. H. Haughton	do.	do ...	12th July 1913.	
Dr. R. Willan	Medical Officer	Medical	do.	
Mr. W. Hudson	Deputy Postmaster General ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	17th July 1913.	
Mr. Hanns Vischer	Director of Education	Education	25th July 1913.	
Mr. St. C. E. Stobart	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Miss J. A. Clark	Nurse	Medical	26th July 1913	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. H. Hartze	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	1st December 1912.	
Mr. D. H. John	do.	do ...	21st June 1913.	

438 **Permanent Staff.**

The following Native Officials, having completed three years service are placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the date stated against their names:—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. S. M. Cole	2nd Class Compositor and Machine Printer ...	Printing	1st May 1910.	
Mr. W. A. Marsh	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	22nd June 1910.	
Mr. R. G. Bruce	do.	Transport	1st July 1910.	
Mr. G. J. Swaniker	do.	Chief Secretary's	12th July 1910.	

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439 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. U. R. Sampson	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	Colloquial Test ...	27th June 1913.

440 **Discharge.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. P. Essien	Senior Warder	Prisons	30th June 1913.	

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441 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
BRITISH N. C. Os.				
Sergt. Percy Edward Morrell, Yorkshire Light Infantry ...	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	18th June 1913 ...	5th July 1913.
Sergt. Edgar William Joseph Robinson. Royal Field Artillery	do.	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	25th June 1913 ...	11th July 1913.
Sergt. Geoge Francis Mulholland, Royal Dublin Fusiliers ...	do.	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	2nd July 1913 ...	17th July 1913.

442 **Transfers.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Lieut. A. A. Cummins	Company Officer ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	Subaltern ...	2nd May 1913.
BRITISH N.C.O.					
Sergeant-Major J. Horan ...	Sergeant Major ...	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	Education Department ...	Teacher	13th June 1913.
NATIVE STAFF.					
Mr. William Aisa	Learner	Chief Secretary's Office	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Pay Clerk, 2nd Class	29th May 1913.

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443 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
BRITISH N. C. Os.								
Qrmr. Sergt. W. MacLeod	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2	—	2	—	16th July 1913	—	Full salary.
Colour Sergt. G. F. Furst	do.	2	20	2	—	—	17th July 1913	do.
Sergt.-Major E. R. Slaney	do.	2	—	2	—	23rd July 1913	—	do.
Colour-Sergt. H. W. Johnson	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2	20	2	—	—	24th July 1913	do.

444 **Extension of Leave.**

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Capt. F. Fairlie	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	—	29th May 1913	21st Aug. 1913	Ill-health. Army rate
Lieut. H. L. Scott	M. I., N. N. Regt.	3 months	1st June 1913	—	do. Half salary.
Lieut. S. H. Drummond	do.	8 days	8th June 1913	—	Urgent private affairs. Without salary.
BRITISH N. C. O.					
Qrmr.-Sergt. T. G. Beeton	Headquarters, N. N. Regt.	2 months	17th June 1913	—	Full salary.

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445 **Resumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Lieutenant A. F. P. Knapp	Company Officer	M. I., N. N. Regt.	11th July 1913
Lieutenant S. H. Drummond	do.	do	do. "
NATIVE STAFF.			
Mr. C. J. Ankrah	Pay Clerk, 2nd Class	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	30th May "

446 **Re-absorption.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of re-absorption into British Regiment.
Lieut. H. N. Fairbank	Subaltern	Artillery, N. N. Regt.	28th May 1913.

447 **Dismissal.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	With effect from
BRITISH N.C.O.			
Farrier Sergt. H. Mapp	Farrier Sergeant	M. I., N. N. Regt.	6th April 1913.

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448 **Comparative Statement of Revenue for the period ended 31st December 1912.**

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Estimates 1912—1913.	Actual Revenue to 31st Dec. 1912.	Revenue for same period of preceding year.	Increase.	Decrease.	REMARKS.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1 Customs	35,000 0 0	33,890 12 6	21,127 11 3	12,763 1 3	...	Increase chiefly in increased Salt imports and also due to new duty in 1912 on Kolas.
2 Land Revenue	395,000 0 0	310,707 12 10	203,319 16 11	107,387 15 11	...	Increased collections.
3 Licences and Internal Revenue ...	3,650 0 0	2,577 6 8	3,297 11 7	...	720 4 11	Decrease chiefly in Provincial Court Fines and also due to abolition of Traders' Licences.
4 Fees of Court, Payments for Specific Services and Reimbursements in aid	4,641 0 0	4,384 9 0	4,846 3 11	...	461 14 11	Decrease chiefly in receipts for services of Police on Railways, due to less Construction work.
5 Post and Telegraphs	14,100 0 0	7,485 13 1	*37 18 10	7,523 11 11	...	Increase not actual; a portion of the sum of £8,301 deducted from the Revenue to December 1911 in respect of deposits erroneously treated as sale of stamps was recredited to Revenue later.
6 Marine Services	14,400 0 0	11,950 17 5	12,447 15 9	...	496 18 4	Decrease due to laying up of draft and to diversion of portion of traffic to Railway.
7 Rents of Government Property ...	2,400 0 0	1,817 13 3	1,552 10 6	265 2 9	...	Increased leases due to influx of traders consequent on Railway facilities.
8 Mines	13,150 0 0	12,860 10 9	11,830 6 1	1,030 4 8	...	Development of the Mining Industry.
9 Miscellaneous Receipts	370 0 0	1,044 10 2	589 6 6	455 3 8	...	Chiefly due to Rebate on Freight and a special item of £270 10. 8. awarded to Government in re "Sulpe"—"Yola" collision.
	482,711 0 0	386,719 5 8	258,973 3 8	129,425 0 2	1,678 18 2	
10 Contribution from Southern Nigeria ...	70,000 0 0	52,500 0 0	52,500 0 0	...	...	
Total Local Revenue	552,711 0 0	439,219 5 8	311,473 3 8	129,425 0 2	1,678 18 2	Net Increase £127,746 2 0.
11 Baro-Kano Railway Receipts	66,000 0 0	69,951 11 9	24,977 14 7	44,973 17 2	..	Increased traffic.
12 Bauchi Light Railway Receipts ...	22,982 0 0	19,822 5 0	...	19,822 5 0	...	New Head.
	641,693 0 0	528,993 2 5	336,450 18 3	194,221 2 4	1,678 18 2	
13 Imperial Grant-in-aid	156,000 0 0	95,000 0 0	245,000 0 0	...	150,000 0 0	The proportion for 9 months (£117,000) was not fully drawn. Total Grant for 1911—1912 was £347,000.
Total Revenue	797,693 0 0	623,993 2 5	581,450 18 3	194,221 2 4	151,678 18 2	Net Increase £42,542 4 2.

* Deduct.

The Treasury,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
31st May 1913.

J. H. BRATT,
Treasurer.

449 **Comparative Statement of Expenditure for the period ended 31st December 1912.**

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.	Estimates 1912—1913.	Actual Expenditure to 31st Dec. 1912.	Expenditure for same period of preceding year.	Increase.	Decrease.	REMARKS.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1 Pensions and Gratuities	5,598 0 0	4,951 14 3	2,925 8 1	2,026 6 2	...	New pensions and payment of £1,000 Gratuity to Dr. B. Flood late M.O.
2 Governor and Staff	5,220 0 0	2,924 13 1	3,398 1 2	...	473 8 1	Sir H. H. Bell on half pay leave 22nd April to 2nd July 1912.
3 Chief Secretary's Department ...	11,885 0 0	8,373 10 9	7,289 0 2	1,084 10 7	...	Increase of Staff by 1 Asst. Secretary and 10 Clerks.
4 Provincial Administration	95,785 0 0	70,740 4 8	66,963 19 9	3,776 4 11	...	Increase of 2nd and 3rd Class Residents and provision (new) for duty pay.
5 Treasury Department	7,299 0 0	5,461 15 1	5,281 8 9	180 6 4	...	Vacancies in 1911 to 1912.
6 Customs „	4,833 0 0	3,380 16 6	2,777 17 2	602 19 4	...	Increase of Native Staff.
7 Audit „	4,189 0 0	2,896 19 11	2,441 17 11	455 2 0	...	Increase of Native Staff.
8 Marine „	46,000 0 0	33,098 17 2	29,413 19 6	3,684 17 8	...	Decreased credit in 1912 for transport of Government Officials and Stores due to Railway transport.
9 Legal „	3,484 0 0	2,164 19 4	2,584 8 2	...	419 8 10	Vacancy caused by transfer of Attorney General filled late.
10 Police „	28,088 0 0	21,198 19 6	20,047 14 10	1,151 4 8	...	Reimbursement from Railways on account Open Lines Police discontinued from April 1912.
11 Prisons „	10,776 0 0	8,182 14 10	7,830 11 2	352 3 8	...	Increase in Prison Necessaries and Food.
12 Medical „	37,947 0 0	26,416 5 3	24,446 1 9	1,970 3 6	...	Increase of M. Os. and Subordinates consequent on taking over of B. K. R. Medical Service.
13 Sanitation „	3,010 0 0	1,952 5 11	1,900 9 7	51 16 4	...	Increase in "Other Charges."
14 Education „	2,499 0 0	1,491 4 8	1,038 4 8	453 0 0	...	Increase of Staff.
15 Transport „	32,443 0 0	27,093 1 6	27,354 19 10	...	261 18 4	Decrease chiefly due to payment of £880 in the preceding year in respect of repatriation of Indian Employees
16 Military Expenditure	155,802 0 0	116,211 8 4	122,782 17 9	...	6,571 9 5	Reduction of Strength of the N. N. R., W.A.F.F. in 1912.
17 Miscellaneous Services	7,733 0 0	6,882 1 9	5,813 11 2	1,068 10 7	...	Increase due to payment of Grant to Imperial Institute £900 in 1912 also to increased expenditure on Stationery and Language Gratuities.
18 Posts and Telegraphs Department ...	24,420 0 0	18,704 7 9	15,073 13 2	3,630 14 7	...	Increase chiefly due to transfer of B. K. R. Telegraph staff and increased expenditure on Mail Service Inland.
19 Agricultural Department	4,995 0 0	1,638 15 11	1,272 10 2	366 5 9	...	Vacancies in the preceding year.
20 Public Works Department	13,817 0 0	9,194 5 1	8,332 14 8	861 10 5	...	Increase chiefly due to 2 additional Foremen and 2 clerks provided for.
21 Public Works Recurrent	16,600 0 0	12,282 17 2	8,452 17 2	3,830 0 0	...	Increased expenditure chiefly on repairs to buildings and upkeep of furniture.
22 Mines Department	3,797 0 0	4,091 17 10	2,147 0 5	1,944 17 5	...	Increase of staff also expenditure of £1,745 on Special Survey of Minefields.
23 Cantonments	1,412 0 0	897 18 8	1,081 12 8	...	183 14 0	Lesser Grant required for Cant. Expenditure in 1912.
Barijuko Tramway	...	...	6 17 8	...	6 17 8	Tramway closed.
24 Land and Survey Department ...	2,400 0 0	1,253 3 0	1,140 8 7	112 14 5	...	Increased expenditure on Linesmen and Local Transport also purchase of instruments.
Total ordinary & recurrent Expenditure ...	530,032 0 0	391,484 17 11	371,798 5 11	27,603 8 4	7,916 16 4	
25 Public Works Extraordinary	38,030 0 0	23,945 15 9	11,161 0 0	12,784 15 9	...	Increase chiefly due to works at outstations.
26 Telegraphs „	3,500 0 0	2,862 17 5	885 18 11	1,976 18 6	...	
	571,562 0 0	418,293 11 1	383,845 4 10	42,365 2 7	7,916 16 4	
27 Native Affairs	193,000 0 0	153,782 3 3	90,266 4 4	63,515 18 11	...	Augmented share of increased collections.
28 Baro-Kano Railway, Open Lines ...	97,882 0 0	79,825 1 7	36,873 8 11	42,951 12 8	...	In 1911—12 a proportion of the expenditure was chargeable to Loan Funds; increase also due to Govt. Traffic previously credited to Expenditure having been shewn as Revenue in 1912.
29 Bauchi Light Railway „	19,921 0 0	11,950 7 3	...	11,950 7 3	...	New Head.
30 Interest on Railway Loans	63,000 0 0	46,680 8 3	35,325 19 4	11,354 8 11	...	Interest on increased loan receipts for B. K. R. and B. L. R. Construction; increase also due to payment of £1,500 first instalment repayment of the B. L. R. Loan.
Total Expenditure ... £	945,365 0 0	710,531 11 5	546,310 17 5	172,137 10 4	7,916 16 4	Net Increase £164,220 14 0.

The Treasury,
Zungeru,
31st May 1913.

J. H. BRATT,
Treasurer.

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450 Monthly Abstract Account of Cash Receipts and

No.	RECEIPTS.	In the month of December 1912.	From 1st April 1912 to 30th Nov. 1912	Total from 1st April 1912 to 31st Dec. 1912
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	Balance 1st April 1912	...	166,149 8 9	166,149 8 9
	Balance 1st December 1912 ...	137,940 15 2	...	...
1	Customs	9,382 8 9	24,508 3 9	33,890 12 6
2	Land Revenue	140,720 9 9	169,987 3 1	310,707 12 10
3	Licences and Internal Revenue ...	257 15 9	2,319 10 11	2,577 6 8
4	Fees of Court, Payments for Specific Services and Reimbursements in aid	819 15 2	3,564 13 10	4,384 9 0
5	Post Office and Telegraphs	2,929 1 11	4,556 11 2	7,485 13 1
6	Marine Services	1,940 1 2	10,010 16 3	11,950 17 5
7	Rents of Government Property ..	348 16 10	1,468 16 5	1,817 13 3
8	Mines	* 195 12 1	13,056 2 10	12,860 10 9
9	Miscellaneous Receipts	372 10 8	671 19 6	1,044 10 2
		156,575 7 11	230,143 17 9	386,719 5 8
10	Contribution from Southern Nigeria ...	...	52,500 0 0	52,500 0 0
	Total Local Revenue	156,575 7 11	282,643 17 9	439,219 5 8
11	Baro-Kano Railway Receipts ...	12,174 10 7	57,777 1 2	69,951 11 9
12	Bauchi Light Railway Receipts ...	6,071 3 6	13,751 1 6	19,822 5 0
	Total Local Revenue including Railway Receipts	174,821 2 0	354,172 0 5	528,993 2 5
13	Imperial Grant-in-aid	...	95,000 0 0	95,000 0 0
	Total Revenue	174,821 2 0	449,172 0 5	623,993 2 5
	Loan Account Southern Nigeria, Baro-Kano Railway Construction	43,000 0 0	37,000 0 0	80,000 0 0
	Loan Account Imperial Government, Bauchi Light Railway Construction	50,000 0 0	6,000 0 0	56,000 0 0
	Total including Loan Accounts ...	267,821 2 0	492,172 0 5	759,993 2 5
	Advances Repaid Baro-Kano Railway...	48,315 2 1	250,917 2 7	299,232 4 8
	Do. Bauchi Light Railway	38,230 3 10	21,737 12 8	59,967 16 6
	Do. Sundry	6,398 7 2	39,926 14 10	46,325 2 0
	Deposits, Sundry	71,403 14 6	105,979 15 6	177,383 10 0
	,, N. Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	34,015 6 7	34,015 6 7
	,, Public Officers Guarantee Fund...	1,985 11 0	...	1,985 11 0
	Drafts and Remittances	104,085 10 1	420,378 6 5	524,463 16 6
	imprests	598 7 7	1,909 12 8	2,508 0 3
	Revenue Suspense Account	469 18 7	1,249 0 11	1,718 19 6
	Unallocated Stores Suspense Account P.W.D.	6,420 15 3	12,790 2 3	19,210 17 6
	Total Receipts	545,728 12 1	1,381,075 14 10	1,926,804 6 11
		...	...	...
	Total including Balance ...	683,669 7 3	1,547,225 3 7	2,092,953 15 8

Treasury,
Zungeru, 29th May, 1913.

* Deduct.

Payments from 1st April 1912 to 31st December 1912.

No.	PAYMENTS.	In the month of December 1912.	From 1st April 1912 to 30th Nov. 1912.	Total from 1st April 1912 to 31st Dec. 1912
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Pensions and Gratuities	251 7 3	4,700 7 0	4,951 14 3
2	Governor and Staff	543 0 1	2,381 13 0	2,924 13 1
3	Chief Secretary's Department ...	966 4 7	7,407 6 2	8,373 10 9
4	Provincial Administration	8,630 2 3	62,110 2 5	70,740 4 8
5	Treasury Department	578 8 7	4,883 6 6	5,461 15 1
6	Customs ,, ...	393 13 11	2,987 2 7	3,380 16 6
7	Audit ,, ...	304 11 8	2,592 8 3	2,896 19 11
8	Marine ,, ...	3,140 0 6	29,958 16 8	33,098 17 2
9	Legal ,, ...	310 2 3	1,854 17 1	2,164 19 4
10	Police ,, ...	2,144 1 2	19,054 18 4	21,198 19 6
11	Prisons ,, ...	838 10 1	7,344 4 9	8,182 14 10
12	Medical ,, ...	2,722 6 10	23,693 18 5	26,416 5 3
13	Sanitation ,, ...	251 0 9	1,701 5 2	1,952 5 11
14	Education ,, ...	199 6 2	1,291 18 6	1,491 4 8
15	Transport ,, ...	3,444 1 7	23,648 19 11	27,093 1 6
16	Military Expenditure	12,056 18 8	104,154 9 8	116,211 8 4
17	Miscellaneous Services	1,496 2 6	5,385 19 3	6,882 1 9
18	Posts and Telegraph Department ...	2,758 7 6	15,946 0 3	18,704 7 9
19	Agricultural Department	240 5 2	1,398 10 9	1,638 15 11
20	Public Works Department	1,252 1 2	7,942 3 11	9,194 5 1
21	Public Works Recurrent	3,492 1 1	8,790 16 1	12,282 17 2
22	Mines Department	1,230 7 11	2,861 9 11	4,091 17 10
23	Cantonments	235 13 8	662 5 0	897 18 8
24	Land and Survey Department ...	159 8 1	1093 14 11	1,253 3 0
	Total Ordinary & Recurrent Expenditure...	47,638 3 5	343,846 14 6	391,484 17 11
25	Public Works Extraordinary ...	7,634 11 3	16,311 4 6	23,945 15 9
26	Telegraphs Extraordinary	241 8 2	2,621 9 3	2,862 17 5
28	Native Affairs	96,887 2 10	56,895 0 5	153,782 3 3
		152,401 5 8	419,674 8 8	572,075 14 4
29	Baro-Kano Railway—(Open lines) ...	9,982 5 10	69,842 15 9	79,825 1 7
30	Bauchi Light Railway ,, ...	4,284 15 11	7,665 11 4	11,950 7 3
31	Interest on Railway Loans	8,610 12 8	38,069 15 7	46,680 8 3
	Total Expenditure ...	175,279 0 1	535,252 11 4	710,531 11 5
	B. K. Railway Construction Expenditure	28,484 10 8	45,721 11 4	74,206 2 0
	Bauchi Light R'way ,, ,, ...	13,388 18 7	21,537 12 8	34,926 11 3
	Total including R'ways ,, ,, ...	217,152 9 4	602,511 15 4	819,664 4 8
	Advances Baro-Kano Railway ...	44,206 1 2	182,534 17 7	226,740 18 9
	,, Bauchi Light Railway ...	50,000 0 0	6,242 0 5	56,242 0 5
	,, Sundry	6,769 4 6	35,599 6 0	42,368 10 6
	Repayment of Deposits, Sundry ...	57,378 8 7	115,296 16 5	172,675 5 0
	Repayment of Deposits Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	6,916 18 9	6,916 18 9
	Drafts and Remittances	151,031 19 7	417,134 8 11	568,166 8 6
	Imprests	264 1 10	2,337 3 10	2,601 5 8
	Revenue Suspense Account... ...	787 1 1	531 18 11	1,319 0 0
	Unallocated Stores Suspense Acct. P.W.D.	1,322 15 0	18,823 16 11	20,146 11 11
	Investments, Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	5,037 5 10	20,355 5 4	25,392 11 2
	Investments, Public Officers' Guarantee Fund	..	1,000 0 0	1,000 0 0
	Loan A/c. S.N. for B.K.R. Construction...	19,472 9 1	...	19,472 9 1
	,, Imperial Govt. for B.L.R. Constr.	23,814 19 9	...	23,814 19 9
	Total Payments ...	577,236 15 9	1,409,284 8 5	1,986,521 4 2
	Balance 30th November 1912	...	137,940 15 2	...
	Balance 31st December 1912 ...	106,432 11 6	...	106,432 11 6
	Total including Balance ..	683,669 7 3	1,547,225 3 7	2,092,953 19 8

J. H. BRATT,
Treasurer.

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451 **Account of Cash Receipts and Payments from 1st January to 31st January 1913.**

Head No.	RECEIPTS.	In the month of 1913 £ s. d.	From 1st Jan. 1913 to 1913 £ s. d.	Total from 1st Jan. 1913 to 31st Jan. 1913. £ s. d.
	Balance 1st January 1913	...	...	106,432 11 6
	Balance 1st 1913	...	...	...
1	Land Revenue	...	...	18,189 8 10
2	Licences and Internal Revenue ...	...	...	2,272 14 3
3	Fees of Court, Payments for Specific Services and Re-imbursements in aid	...	...	252 1 2
4	Postal Revenue	...	...	*0 4 1
5	Rents of Government Property ...	...	...	981 7 8
6	Miscellaneous	...	...	321 3 0
	Total Local Revenue ...	...	...	22,016 10 10
7	Imperial Grant-in-aid	...	...	25,000 0 0
	Total Revenue ...	....	...	47,016 10 10
...	Combined Departments Account ...	...	...	3,128 2 9
...	Advances Repaid Baro-Kano Railway ...	...	...	...
...	Do. Sundry	...	...	1,291 9 5
...	Deposits, Sundry...	...	...	12,566 12 11
...	Deposits, P. O. G. Fund	....	...	111 10 1
...	Deposits, Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	...	...
...	Drafts and Remittances	...	...	84,912 5 5
...	Imprests	...	...	167 13 2
...	Revenue Suspense Account ...	...	...	112 14 10
...	Unallocated Stores Suspense Acct. P.W.D.	...	...	715 8 3
	Total Receipts ...	...	...	150,022 7 8
	Total including balance £	...	...	£256,454 19 2

Zungeru,
8th July, 1913.

* Deduct.

No.	PAYMENTS.	In the month of 1913. £ s. d.	From 1st Jan. 1913 to 1913. £ s. d.	Total from 1st Jan. 1913 to 31st Jan. 1913. £ s. d.
1	Pensions and Gratuities	...	...	537 5 11
2	Governor	...	...	428 12 3
3	Chief Secretary's Office	...	...	635 19 7
4	Political and Administrative	...	...	7,783 12 11
5	Legal and Judicial	...	...	305 13 3
6	Treasury	...	...	479 11 1
7	Post and Telegraphs	...	...	1,751 16 9
8	Audit	...	...	240 5 0
9	Printing	...	...	214 16 9
10	W.A.F.F. Northern Nigeria Regiment...	...	...	11,557 14 3
11	Police	...	...	2,169 18 11
12	Prisons	...	...	699 3 2
13	Forestry	...	...	25 0 0
14	Agriculture	....	...	163 4 5
15	Medical	...	...	2,964 12 10
16	Sanitation	...	...	130 10 6
17	Education	...	...	214 18 3
18	Surveys	....	...	328 1 5
19	Mines	...	...	942 4 10
20	Transport	...	...	1,096 3 9
21	Miscellaneous Services	...	...	206 18 1
22	Public Works Department	...	...	986 8 4
23	Public Works Recurrent	...	...	587 8 3
	Total ...	...	...	34,450 0 6
24	Public Works Extraordinary... ..	...	...	2,485 3 6
25	Interest on Railway Loans	....	...	13,300 5 4
	Total Expenditure	...	...	50,235 9 4
	Combined Departments Accounts ...	...	...	2,286 6 6
	Advances Baro-Kano Railway ...	....	...	...
	Do. Sundry	...	...	3,168 3 5
	Repayment of Deposits, Sundry ...	...	...	16,894 11 9
	Do. Do. P. O. G., Fund ...	...	...	15 1 8
	Do. Do. Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds	...	...	...
	Drafts and Remittances	...	...	72,633 12 6
	Imprests	...	...	426 17 6
	Revenue Suspense Account	...	...	120 8 0
	Unallocated Stores Suspense Account P.W.D.	...	...	1,047 1 7
	Investments, N.N. N.R. Funds ...	...	...	1,705 16 8
	Do. Public Officers' Guarantee Fund	...	...	...
	Total Payments ...	...	...	148,533 8 11
	Balance 1913	...	...	...
	*Balance 31st January 1913	...	...	107,921 10 3
	Total including balance ...	...	...	£256,454 19 2

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The attention of the Public is called to the following alterations and additions to the Railway Tariff as published on October 15th 1912, which have been duly authorised by the Director of Railways and Works and approved by His Excellency the Governor under Proclamation No. 9 of 1912 Section 2 of Northern Nigeria and which are now published as detailed :—

Additions.

Passenger Rates from Ifo.

Station to	Distance from Ifo Miles	Passenger Fares, Single journey. 1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Station to	Distance from Ifo Miles	Passenger Fares, Single journey. 1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		
Iddo	32	8 0	2 8	1 4	Ibadan	97	24 3	8 1	4 1		
Ebute-Metta	30	7 6	2 6	1 3	Olodo	108	27 0	9 0	4 6		
Oshodi	25	6 3	2 1	1 1	Lalupon	114	28 6	9 6	4 9		
Agege	20	5 0	1 8	0 10	Iwo	127	31 9	10 7	5 4		
Agbado	15	3 9	1 3	0 8	Ilegbo	134	33 6	11 2	5 7		
Ijoko	11	2 9	0 11	0 6	Origo	143	35 9	11 11	6 3		
Kajala	6	1 6	0 6	0 3	Ede	150	37 6	12 6	6 3		
Olumu	4	1 0	0 4	0 2	Oshogbo	160	40 0	13 4	6 8		
Agbesi	8	2 0	0 8	0 4	Ikirun	173	43 3	14 5	7 3		
Itori	13	3 3	1 1	0 7	Okuku	183	45 9	15 3	7 5	34	
Wasimi	17	4 3	1 5	0 9	Offa	192	48 0	16 0	7 7		
New-Owowo	21	5 3	1 9	0 11	Illa Market	204	51 6	17 0	7 10		
Isawo	26	6 6	2 2	1 1	Gama	214	53 6	17 10	8 1		
Alagada	29	7 3	2 5	1 3	Ilorin	220	55 0	18 4	8 2		
Aro	33	8 3	2 9	1 5	Oyum-River	228	57 0	19 0	8 4		
Abeokuta	35	8 9	2 11	1 6	Jodomo	238	59 6	19 10	8 7		
Lafenwa	35	8 9	2 11	1 6	Lanwa	248	62 0	20 6	8 9		
Arikola	42	10 6	3 6	1 9	Elebu	255	63 9	21 3	8 11		
Sanushi	48	12 0	4 0	2 0	Bode-Sadu	264	66 0	22 0	9 1		
Opeji	50	12 6	4 2	2 1	Jebba South	281	70 3	23 5	9 6		
Kuwa Road	62	15 6	5 2	2 7							

PASSENGER RATES FROM IFO.

Station to	Distance from Ifo. Miles.	Passenger Fares, Single journey. 1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Station to	Distance from Ifo. Miles.	Passenger Fares, Single journey. 1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
		s. d	s. d.	s. d.			s. d,	s. d.	s. d.		
Olokemeji	66	16 6	5 6	2 9	Jebba North	282	70 5	23 6	9 6		
Ogunshileh	70	17 6	5 10	2 11	Tatabu	295	72 7	24 7	9 9		
Ilugun	79	19 9	6 7	3 4	Mokwa	307	74 7	25 7	10 0		
Adio	87	21 9	7 3	3 8	Bokani	319	76 7	26 7	10 3		
Moor Plantation	94	23 6	7 10	3 11	Charati	336	79 5	28 0	10 7		
Tabu	347	81 3	28 11	10 10							
Kooty-Wenji	359	83 3	29 11	11 1						34	
Geirkum	371	85 3	30 11	11 4	South of Minna Junction.						
Akerri	379	86 7	31 7	11 6							
Wushishi	393	88 11	32 9	11 10	Shapa	456	100 7	38 0	13 1		
Zungeru	404	90 9	33 8	12 0	Kateregi	481	106 10	40 1	13 8		
Beji	423	93 11	35 3	12 5	Ebba	494	110 1	41 2	13 11		
Minna Junction	442	97 1	36 10	12 10	Badeggi	510	114 1	42 6	14 3		
					Bakoji	526	118 1	43 10	14 7		
					Katcha	539	121 4	44 11	14 10		
North of Minna Junction.					Baro	553	124 10	46 1	15 2		
She	460	101 7	38 4	13 2							
Guni	473	104 10	39 5	13 6							
Kuchi	486	108 1	40 6	13 9							
Serikin Pawa	500	111 7	41 8	14 0							
Godani	517	115 10	43 1	14 5							
Bakin Kasua	528	118 7	44 0	14 7							
Kaduna	547	123 4	45 7	15 0							
Rigachikun	560	126 7	46 8	15 3							
Birnin-Yaro	571	129 4	47 7	15 6							
Dumbi	586	133 1	48 10	15 10							
Zaria	597	135 10	49 9	16 1							
Likoro	607	138 4	50 7	16 3							
Gimi Dabosa	618	141 1	51 6	16 6							
Faiki	641	146 10	53 5	17 0							
Rafin Gora	665	152 10	55 5	17 6							
Kano	687	158 4	57 3	17 11							

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 31st May 1913.

PERIOD	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 31st May 1913 ...	2,276	261	8,866	1,801	24	99	13,327
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,005	446	7,941	1,348	18	330	12,088
Increase ...	271	—	925	453	6	—	1,239
Decrease ...	—	185	—	—	—	231	—
Total for Current year to date ...	45,744	7,115	211,649	26,423	460	550	291,941
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	37,489	7,082	123,290	24,410	433	679	193,383
Increase ...	8,255	33	88,359	2,013	27	—	98,558
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	129	—

Mileage Open 912
Mean Mileage Worked 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £14·61.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

PARTICULARS.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba-North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria-Kahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,919	148	319	151	2,537
Goods	8,494	68	1,703	402	10,667
Telegraph	20	—	2	2	24
Sundries	75	—	22	2	99
Total for week	10,508	216	2,046	557	13,327
Total for current year	193,208	4,941	63,991	29,801	291,941
Corresponding period of 1912	154,128	5,610	30,557	3,088	193,383
Increase	39,080	—	33,434	26,713	98,558
Decrease	—	669	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the week ...	727	926	134	14	1,801	For the Week 59
Total for current year ...	4,625	19,540	2,037	221	26,423	Total for current year 1,416
Corresponding period of 1912	3,191	13,897	1,100	6,222	24,410	Corresponding period of 1912 1,212
Increase ...	1,434	5,643	937	—	2,013	Increase 204
Decrease ...	—	—	—	6,001	—	Decrease —

Ebute Metta,
19th June, 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Actg. Chief Accountant.

T. H. M. BONELL,
for Actg. General Manager.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 7th June 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 7th June 1913 ...	2,142	351	9,509	1,439	26	11	13,478
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,953	225	6,914	1,366	22	6	10,486
Increase ...	189	126	2,595	73	4	5	2,992
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Total for Current year to date ...	47,886	7,466	221,158	27,862	486	561	305,419
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	39,442	7,307	130,204	25,776	455	685	203,869
Increase ...	8,444	159	90,954	2,086	31	...	101,550
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	124	...

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £14·78

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Baro-Kano 356 miles.	Zaria-Kahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,834	133	433	93	2,493
Goods	7,787	44	1,863	1,254	10,948
Telegraph	20	1	1	4	26
Sundries	9	...	...	2	11
Total for Week	9,650	178	2,297	1,353	13,478
Total for current year	202,858	5,119	66,288	31,154	305,419
Corresponding period of 1912	162,909	5,817	31,756	3,387	203,869
Increase	39,949	...	34,532	27,767	101,550
Decrease	...	698	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	464	943	32	...	1,439	For the Week 71
Total for current year ...	5,089	20,483	2,069	221	27,862	Total for current year 1,487
Corresponding period of 1912	3,309	14,762	1,180	6,525	25,776	Corresponding period of 1912 1,259
Increase ...	1,780	5,721	889	...	2,086	Increase 228
Decrease ...	...	...	...	6,304	...	Decrease —

Ebute Metta,
26th June 1913.

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Actg. Chief Accountant.

T. H. M. BONELL,
for Actg. General Manager

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455 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 14th June 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING. Public.	COACHING. Govt.	GOODS. Public.	GOODS. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 14th June 1913 ...	2,409	281	8,009	1,052	22	10	11,783
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,062	247	5,995	1,076	19	9	9,408
Increase ...	347	34	2,014	—	3	1	2,375
Decrease ...	—	—	—	24	—	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	50,295	7,747	229,167	28,914	508	571	317,202
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	41,504	7,554	136,199	26,852	474	694	213,277
Increase ...	8,791	193	92,968	2,062	34	—	103,925
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	123	—

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £12·92

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Idilo-Jebba South 306 miles	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles	Zaria-Kahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,977	165	397	151	2,690
Goods	6,823	30	1,406	801	9,060
Telegraph	18	—	2	3	23
Sundries	7	—	1	2	10
Total for Week	8,825	195	1,806	957	11,783
Total for current year	211,683	5,314	68,094	32,111	317,202
Corresponding period of 1912	170,214	6,422	32,955	3,686	213,277
Increase	41,469	—	35,139	28,425	103,925
Decrease	—	1108	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	136	912		4	10,52	For the Week 69
Total for current year ...	5,225	21,395	20,69	225	28,914	Total for current year .. 1,556
Corresponding period of 1912	3,607	15,437	1,180	6,628	26,852	Corresponding period of 1912... 1,320
Increase ...	1618	5,958	889	—	2,062	Increase ... 236
Decrease ...	—	—	—	6,403	—	Decrease .. —

Ebute Metta,
3rd July, 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant

T. H. M. BONELL,
for Acting General Manager.

456 **Monthly Meteorological Return.**

PLACE OF OBSERVATION	TEMPERATURE. Highest in the Shade.	Lowest in the Shade.	Mean.	Greatest Diurnal Variation.	Mean relative Humidity 8 a.m.	RAINFALL. Total.	Maximum on one day.	Daily average.	No. of days on which rain fell.	Prevailin Wind.	OBSERVER
MAY.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.			
Zungeru	100	69	84·3	25	79	1·59	·50	·05	7	S.	Dr. Manning
Lokoja	96·	69	83·58	23	69	3·37	1·69	·10	7	S.W.	Dr. C. E. S. Watson.
Kano	112	69	90·2	40	45	2·5	1·6	·08	6	S.W.	Dr. McGahey.
Ankpa	92	68	79·8	23	76	3·77	1·2	·12	12	S.W.	Dr. Johnston.
Katagum	112	71	91·9	37	47	·98	·66	·03	4	S.W.	Dr. Beattie
Jebba	102	66	85·75	24	62·1	6·63	2·85	·21387	8	S.W.	Dr. Ellis
Baro	105	64	84·5	31	68	3·67	·78	·11	9	S.W.	Dr Moiser.
Zaria	97	59	80·32	31	69	4·64	1·25	0·14	9	S.W.	Dr. Taylor.
Offa	94	65	79·1	23	76	8·05	1·40	·26	13	S.W.	Dr. Peacock
Bauchi	100	66	84·3	30	60	3·64	1·21	·11	10	S.W.	Dr. Crichton.
Kaduna	96	64	80·2	25	68	5·81	1·15	·18	12	S.W.	Dr. Williams.
Naraguta	92	57	74	32	64	9·71	1·86	·31	21	S.W.	Dr. Parsons.
Ilorin	96	66	80·4	23	78	7·28	2·10	·23	12	S.W.	Dr. Twomey.
Maiduguri	112	73	93·7	36	43	·47	·45	·015	2	S.W.	Dr. McLeay.
Nafada	109	67	90·2	39	51	2·63	1·25	0·84	7	W.	Dr. Jeffreys.
Ibi	98	67	83·4	24	72	4·20	1·24	0·13	9	S.W	Dr. Trumper.
Geidam	113	71	91·5	39	38	1·32	·85	·04	5	S.W.	Dr. Porteous.
Yola	102	69	86·4	26	69	3·25	1·18	·104	7	N.E. to S.W.	Dr. Pollard.
Wamba	95	68	81·4	23	72	3·35	1·50	·108	10	W.	Dr. McKinney.
Birnin Kebbi	108	68	89·7	30	51	4·0	1·38	·12	6	S.W.	Drs. Black & Courtney
Sokoto	111	69	92	34	44	2·56	1·93	·08	5	S.W.	Dr. Inness

31st May, 1913.

F. MANNING
P. M. O.

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CROP STATISTICS.

ILORIN PROVINCE, NUPE DIVISION. YIELD OF CROPS.

BY MR. ASSISTANT RESIDENT T. A. BUDGEN.

Locality.	Crop.	Yield per acre.	Value per acre. £	s.	d.	Average acreage per A. M.	Remarks.
Patigi and Lafiagi	*Staples.*	*lbs.*					[1] Planted in same ground as Guinea Corn and Maiwa; but at different season.
	Guinea Corn ...	1,000	1	16	0	1½	
	Maiwa	410	0	19	0	1¾	
	Gero	320	0	10	0	2[1]	
	Special.						
	Rice	1,584	5	6	0	½ to 1½[2]	[2] Suitable soil limited.
	Ground Nuts ...	800[3]	2	10	0	¼ to 1	[3] Decorticated.
	Bananas ...	9,600	5	16	0	¼ to ½[2]	
	Sugar Cane ...	18,000[4]	22	10	0	½ to ¼[2]	[4] Raw canes
Egbe and Oke Odde.	*Staples.*						
	Yams	7,800[1]	6	0	0	1¼	[1] After deducting 20% of total crop for next season's seed.
	Guinea Corn ...	750	0	18	0	1½	
	Maize	270	0	6	0	2[2]	[2] Planted in same ground as yams but at different season.

Above yields are based on a number of measurements of small areas, averaging ¼ acre, made in 1911.

NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 28.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 11TH JULY, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 9th July:—

Messrs. A. A. M. Isherwood, C. B. Smith, G. A. J. Bienemann, H. C. Brooks, Junior Superintendents of Education, Mr. J. L. Wileman, Road Foreman, P.W.D., Miss J. A. Clark, Nurse, Medical, Mr. St. C. E. Stobart, Assistant Resident, Mr. Hanns Vischer, Director of Education.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 9th July:—

Miss E. Taylor, Nurse, Medical.

LAGOS; 10th July:—

Lieut. G. T. Burney, N.N.R., Drs. K. McGahey, W. D. Inness, Medical Officers, Mr. J. H. Bratt, Treasurer, Mr. J. Horan, Teacher, Education, Messrs. L. H. E. Blake, P. A. Benton, 3rd Class Residents.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 11th July:—

Lieuts. S. H. Drummond, A. F. P. Knapp and Sergt. E. W. J. Robinson, N.N.R., Mr. W. Morgan, Assistant Resident.

BURUTU, 12th July:—

Mr. T. H. Haughton, Assistant Resident, Dr. R. Willan, Medical Officer.

POSTINGS:—Stobart Central, Groom from Niger to Central, Burnside Nassarawa to Kontagora, Soper Kontagora to Nassarawa.
Dr. McGahey proceeding Ceylon on transfer.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 29.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 18TH JULY, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 16th July:—

Lieut. N. P. Shand, N.N.R., Mr. Meredith, Telegraph Inspector.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 16th July:—

Quartermaster Sergt. W. MacLeod.

LAGOS, 17th July:—

Mr. N. M. Gepp, 3rd Class Resident, Mr. F. Bisset Archer, Chief Assistant Treasurer, Mr. W. C. Hughes, Chief Dispenser and Storekeeper, Medical, Colour Sergt. G. W. Furst, N.N.R., Mr. A. H. D. Paul, Assistant Resident on health trip to Las Palmas.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 17th July:—

Mr. W. Hudson, Deputy P.M.G., Sergt. G. F. Mulholland, N.N.R.

BURUTU, 18th July:—

Nil.

NEWS CIRCULAR NO. 30.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 26TH JULY, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 23rd July:—

Messrs. Coatsworth, Hill, J. Johnson, G. C. W. Davson, Asst. Engineers, L. A. W. Powell, Inspector of Works, P. W. D., Mr. J. A. Hudson, District Superintendent of Post and Telegraphs, Lieut. W. T. McGuire-Bate, Farrier Sergeant Tingle, N.N.R., Mr. P. Merron, Keeper of Gaols, Mr. G. S. Browne, 3rd Class Resident, Mr. B. E. M. Waters, Assistant Resident, Capt. F. E. Bissell, Medical Officer.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 23rd July:—

Mr. H. E. Style, Mechanician, Post and Telegraphs, Sergt. Major E. R. Slaney, N.N.R.

LAGOS, 24th July:—

Mr. J. B. I. Mackay, Assistant Resident, Mr. P. H. Lamb, Director of Agriculture, Colour Sergt. H. W. Johnson, N.N.R.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 25th July:—

Messrs. A. A. M. Isherwood, C. B. Smith, H. C. Brooks, G. A. J. Bienemann, Junior Superintendents of Education, Mr. Hanns Vischer, Director of Education, Mr. J. L. Wileman, Road Foreman, P.W.D., Mr. St. C. E. Stobart, Assistant Resident.

BURUTU, 26th July:—

Miss J. A. Clark, Nurse, Medical.

POSTINGS:— Browne Kano, Waters Nassarawa.

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A PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir Frederick John Dealtry Lugard, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria.

WHEREAS His late Majesty King Edward VII was pleased to make an Order in Council dated the 24th day of October 1904 entitled the British Protectorates Neutrality Order in Council 1904;

And whereas by Article 3 of the said Order it is provided that "this Order shall be proclaimed in every British Protectorate by the Governor thereof as soon as may be after he receives notice of this Order, and shall come into operation in that British Protectorate on the day of such Proclamation;"

Now, therefore, I Sir Frederick John Dealtry Lugard, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, Governor and

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Commander-in-Chief of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria do hereby order and proclaim that as from the date of this Proclamation the said British Protectorates Neutrality Order in Council 1904 shall come into operation in Northern Nigeria.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria this 11th day of August in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

By His Excellency's Command,

H. S. GOLDSMITH,

Acting Chief Secretary.

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Government Notices.

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A COPY of a notice issued by the Army Council respecting the date for the commencement of the Autumn Examination in Military Subjects under which Commissions in the British Regular Army may be obtained by Officers of the Military Forces of the self-governing Dominions and Crown Colonies has been received, and may be seen on application to the Chief Secretary's Office.

458 Native Courts.

WARRANTS establishing Native Courts under the Native Courts Proclamation with the approval of the Governor, under the Seal of the Protectorate, have been issued as under:—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of warrant.
Nassarawa	"B"	Alkali's Court of Wamba.	16th July 1913.
Bornu.	"C"	Alkali's Court of Mobber.	30th June 1913.

BORNU PROVINCE.

The Warrants establishing Judicial Council of Mobber C. Grade dated 1st January 1910, is cancelled.

459 Erratum.

Notice No. 355 Gazette No. 12 of 1913, the following footnote should be made with respect to Mr. R. Nicol's appointment:—

* Transferred from similar appointment in Southern Nigeria.

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Rise and Fall of the River Benue.

FOR THE MONTH ENDING JUNE 30TH, 1913.

Date.	Ibi.	
	Rise ins.	Fall ins.
June 1st to 30th ...	25½	6
Net Total ...	1ft. 7½ins.	—

Net Rise of Benue at Abinsi.

April 1ft. 3ins.—Net total rise—
May 2ft. 3ins. ditto 3ft. 6ins.
June 3ft. — ditto 6ft. 6ins.

By His Excellency's Command,
H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
15th August, 1913.

461 N.N.R. Standing Order.

(1). Paragraph 70. Schedule of Returns.
After Return No. 40 insert:—

" 48	Machine Gun Officer's Report.	O. C. Units.	Brigade Major.	End of " Musketry year.

(2.) Form 2/N.N.R is cancelled.

(3.) Form 1/N.N.R. has been amended to:—
Quarterly Return of (Personnel)
(Animals)
(Armament)
and embodies particulars as previously given in Form 1/N.N.R. and 2/N.N.R.

E. J. WOLSELEY, CAPTAIN,
Acting Brigade Major

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462 **Commission.**

The following Commission has been issued:—

Name.	Appointment.	Nature of Commission.	Province.	Period.	Date of Commission.
Mr. T. H. Haughton ...	Assistant Resident ...	To exercise full Judicial Powers of a Resident	Muri	Whilst in charge of Lau Division	28th July 1913

463 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Mr. O. F. Duus *	Assistant Commissioner of Police	Police	22nd June 1913 ...	22nd June 1913
Mr. Albert Arthur Mangnall Isherwood	Junior Superintendent	Education	9th July „	25th July 1913.
Mr. Charles Bernard Smith ...	do.	do.	do.	do.
Mr Hugh Cecil Brooks	do.	do.	do.	do.
Mr. Gustavus Adolphus John Bienemann	do.	do.	do.	do.
Mr. John Leonard Wileman ...	Road Foreman	Public Works	23rd July „	8th August „
Mr. John Percy Coatsworth ...	Assistant Engineer	do.	do.	do.
Mr. Percy Hall	do.	do.	do.	do.
Mr. John Johnson	do.	do.	do.	do.
Mr. George Chartres Wolseley Davson	do.	do.	do.	do.
Mr. John Archibald Hudson ...	District Superintendent of Post and Telegraphs ...	Post and Telegraphs ...		
NATIVE STAFF.				
Kolladai Ayede...	2nd Class Warder	Prisons	11th July 1913	Engaged locally.
Mr. Jacob Edward Carney	2nd Class Clerk	Transport	3rd August „	do

*On transfer from Nigerian Railway.

464 **Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. W. Hudson	Post and Telegraphs ...	Postmaster General	18th July 1913.	
Mr. G. F. Mason	do. ...	Deputy Postmaster General ...	do.	
Mr. K. T. Rae	Agriculture	Director of Agriculture	23rd July 1913.	

465 **Termination of Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Acting Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Major W. Hamilton Browne	Resident Kontagora	Political & Administrative	5th July 1913.	
Mr. G. F. Mason	Postmaster General	Post and Telegraphs ...	17th July „	
Mr. W. J. O'Hara	Deputy Postmaster General ...	do. ...	17th July „	
Mr. F. M. Urling Smith	Director of Education	Education	25th July „	

466 **Confirmation of Appointments.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Mr. K. T. Rae	Assistant Superintendent of Agriculture	Agriculture	17th July 1909.	
Dr. L. Doudney	Medical Officer	Medical	8th May 1912.	

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Termination of Appointments.

Name	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mrs. J. G. Gordon (neé Potter) ...	Nurse	Medical	26th July 1913.	Expiration of Engagement.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. S. Macauley	2nd Class Clerk	Transport	31st July „	

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Promotions.

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Alabi Ogbomosho ...	1st Class Warder	Senior Warder	Prisons	11th July 1913.
Brimah Zaria	2nd do.	1st Class Warder	do.	do.

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Transfers.

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Mr. R. Sydney-Smith ...	Assistant Resident	Education (temporary)	Instructor, Survey School ...	26th January 1913.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. F. Acquah	Draughtsman P. W. D.	Surveys (temporary) ...	1st Class Draughtsman ...	1st June 1913.
Mr. J. A. Diogo	2nd Class Clerk, Political & Administrative	Chief Secretary's ...	2nd Class Clerk	1st July 1913.

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Leave of Absence.

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months.	Days.	Months.	Days.			
Mr. A. C. Ridsdale ...	Director of Public Works	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	6th Aug. 1913	—	Full salary.
Mr. H. B. James	Assistant Resident	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	13th Aug. 1913	—	do.
Mr. H. S. Smith	do.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	14th Aug. 1913	do.
Mr. F. S. Merrick ...	Deputy Inspector General of Police ...	— ...	50 ...	— ...	50 ...	—	do.	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. T. G. Wellington ...	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	—	Full salary Lagos. Left Zungeru 17th June 1913.
Mr. R. B. Browne ...	2nd Class Compositor & Machine Printer	3 ...	- ...	— ...	— ...	—	—	Full salary Lagos. Left Zungeru 28th June 1913.
Mr. W. A. Marsh ...	2nd Class Clerk, Pol. & Administrative	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	—	Full salary Oniteha. Left Lokoja 26th July 1913.
Mr. J. S. Wilson	1st Class Clerk, Pol. and Administrative	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	3rd July „	Full salary. Sa. Leone.
Mr. S. M. Halm	do. do. ...	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	16th July 1913	—	Full salary. Cape Coast.

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Extension of Leave.

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Sergeant E. A. Lane ...	Sergeant, Medical	30 days ...	11th Aug. 1913	9th Sept. 1913	Half salary. Ill-health.

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472 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Capt. A. E. Johnson	Inspector General of Police ...	Police	27th July 1913.	
Mr. G. S. Browne	3rd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	8th Aug. „	
Mr. P. Merron	Keeper of Gaols	Prisons	do.	
Mr. L. A. W. Powell	Inspector of Works	Public Works	do.	
Capt. F. E. Bissell	Medical Officer	Medical	9th Aug. 1913.	
Mr. B. E. M. Waters	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. J. Nicol	2nd Class Dispenser	Medical	26th April 1913.	
Mr. R. C. Abossey	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	25th July 1913.	

473 **Resignations.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Dr. W. Morrison	Medical Officer	Medical	13th July 1913.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
George	Interpreter	Political and Administrative ...	1st June 1913.	

474 **Retirement.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. F. John	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs	12th February 1913 ...	{ Retired on gratuity. { Ill-health.

475 **Permanent Staff.**

The following Native Officials, having completed three years service are placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the date stated against their names

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. J. R. Condua	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	6th July 1910.	

476 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed :—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Department or Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Mr. F. M. Urling-Smith ...	Senior Superintendent of Education	Education	Lower Standard Final ...	7th June 1913.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. T. F. Kotaye	1st Class Clerk, and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs	Colloquial Test ...	28th June 1913.

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Leave of Absence

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Leave has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Baruta or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Baruta.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Major E. M. Baker* ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	—	—	2	—	—	—	Full salary.
Col. E. P. Strickland, D.S.O. †	Headquarters, N. N. Regt.	—	—	2	—	—	—	do.
Lieut. G. R. K. Evatt ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	2	20	—	—	—	31st July 1913	do.
Lt.-Col. R. McDonall, D.S.O.	do.	2	—	2	—	—	14th Aug. 1913	do.
Capt. H. G. Howell ...	Headquarters, N. N. Regt.	—	50	—	50	—	do.	do.
Capt. D. H. MacDonell ...	M. I., N. N. Regt. ...	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
BRITISH N. C. Os.								
Armr. Sergt. R. G. Hutchins ...	1st Bn., N N. Regt. ...	2	—	2	—	—	31st July 1913	do.
Colour-Sergt. M. Shearing ...	do. ...	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.

* In conjunction with Notice No. 270 Gazette No. 9 of 1913. † In conjunction with Notice No. 192 Gazette No. 7 of 1913.

Resumption of Duty.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Lieutenant W. T. McGuire Bate ...	Company Officer ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	8th August 1913.

NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

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Traffic Statement for the week ending 21st June 1913.

Period.	Coaching. Public.	Coaching. Govt.	Goods. Public.	Goods. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 21st June 1913 ...	2,168	290	8,854	1,246	24	17	12,617
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,879	209	7,516	877	19	5	10,505
Increase ...	307	81	1,338	369	5	12	2,112
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Total for Current year to date ...	52,481	8,037	238,021	30,160	532	588	329,819
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	43,383	7,763	143,715	27,729	493	699	223,782
Increase ...	90,98	274	94,306	2,431	39	...	106,037
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	111	...

Mileage Open ... 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £13·83

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Baro-Kano 356 miles.	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,794	152	457	73	2,476
Goods	8,403	42	1,254	401	10,100
Telegraph	16	...	4	4	24
Sundries	7	...	10	...	17
Total for Week	10,220	194	1,725	478	12,617
Total for current year	221,903	5,508	69,819	32,589	329,819
Corresponding period of 1912	178,988	6,658	34,151	3,985	223,782
Increase	42,915	...	35,668	28,604	106,037
Decrease	...	1,150	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	328	875	43	...	1,246
Total for current year ...	5,553	22,270	2,112	225	30,160
Corresponding period of 1912	3,860	16,059	1,180	6,630	277,29
Increase ...	1,693	6,211	932	...	2,431
Decrease ...	...	...	...	6,405	...

Tramway.	£
For the Week	69
Total for current year	1,624
Corresponding period of 1912	1,398
Increase	227
Decrease	—

Ebute Metta,
10th July 1913.

A. C. Gibbons,
for Actg. Chief Accountant.

F. H. Waller,
Actg. General Manager

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485 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the period ending 30th June 1913.

PERIOD	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For period ending 30th June 1913 ...	2,745	376	9,579	1,275	26	10	14,011
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,283	377	8,338	1,132	33	90	12,253
Increase ...	462	—	1,241	143	—	—	1,758
Decrease ...	—	1	—	—	7	80	--
Total for Current year to date ...	55,226	8,413	247,600	31,435	558	598	343,830
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	45,666	8,140	152,053	28,861	526	789	236,035
Increase ...	9,560	273	95,547	2,574	32	—	107,795
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	191	—

Mileage Open 912
Mean Mileage Worked 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £15·36.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

PARTICULARS.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba-North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria-Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	2,281	130	620	90	3,121
Goods	7,915	30	20,93	817	10,855
Telegraph	20	1	2	3	26
Sundries	2	2	1	4	9
Total for Period	10,218	163	2,716	914	14,011
Total for current year	232,121	5,671	72,535	33,503	343,830
Corresponding period of 1912	188,563	7,416	35,687	4,369	236,035
Increase	43,558	—	36,848	29,134	107,795
Decrease	—	1,745	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Period ...	121	1,091	52	11	1,275	For the Period 67
Total for current year ...	5,674	23,361	2,164	236	31,435	Total for current year 1,693
Corresponding period of 1912	3,965	16,766	1.244	6,886	28,861	Corresponding period of 1912 1,440
Increase ...	1,709	65,95	920	—	2,574	Increase 253
Decrease ...	—	—	—	6,650	—	Decrease —

Ebute Metta,
17th July, 1913

A. C. GIBBONS,
for Actg. Chief Accountant.

F. H. WALLER,
Actg. General Manager.

481 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for 5 days ending 5th July 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For 5 days ending 5th July 1913 ...	1,852	521	7,366	1,759	17	176	11,691
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,021	445	7,214	1,066	17	11	10,774
Increase ...	...	76	152	693	...	165	917
Decrease ...	169	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for current year to date ...	57,078	8,934	254,966	33,194	575	774	355,521
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	47,687	8,585	159,267	29,927	543	800	246,809
Increase ...	9,391	349	95,699	3,267	32	...	108,712
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	26	...

Mileage Open 912.
Mean Mileage Worked 912.
Average Receipts per mean mile £12· 82

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria to Rahama 89 miles.	TOTAL
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,976	113	228	56	2,373
Goods	6,458	63	1,977	627	9,125
Telegraph	13	1	1	2	17
Sundries	173	1	1	1	176
Total for 5 days	8,620	178	2,207	686	11,691
Total for current year	240,741	5,849	74,742	34,189	355,521
Corresponding period of 1912	196,174	8,279	37,537	4,819	246,809
Increase	44,567	...	37,205	29,370	108,712
Decrease	...	2,430	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAYS.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for 5 days Week ...	952	762	45	...	1,759	For 5 days 55
Total for current year ..	6,627	24,122	2,209	236	33,194	Total for current year ... 1,748
Corresponding period 1912 ...	4,039	17,536	1,352	7,000	29,927	Corresponding period of 1912 1,488
Increase ...	2,588	6,586	857	...	3,267	Increase 260
Decrease ...	...	...	...	6,764	...	Decrease ...

Ebute Metta,
24th July 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager

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NIGERIAN MARINE.

482 Benue Service, High Water, 1913.

Leave Up.				Down.			
Lokoja Mondays.	Loko.	Ibi	Arrival Yola.	Departure Yola.	Ibi.	Loko.	Arrival Lokoja.
...	...	...	...	...	June 6th	June 8th	June 9th
June 2nd	June 4th	June 8th	...	...	June 9th	June 11th	June 12th
June 9th	June 11th	June 14th	...	...	June 16th	June 18th	June 19th
June 23rd	June 25th	June 28th	July 2nd	July 4th	July 6th	July 7th	July 8th
July 7th	July 9th	July 11th	July 16th	July 18th	July 20th	July 21st	July 22nd
July 21st	July 23rd	July 26th	July 30th	Aug. 2nd	Aug. 4th	Aug. 5th	Aug. 6th
Aug. 4th	August 6th	Aug. 9th	Aug. 13th	Aug. 14th	Aug. 16th	Aug. 17th	Aug. 18th
Aug. 18th:	Aug. 20th	Aug. 23rd	Aug. 27th	Aug. 29th	Aug. 31st	Sept. 1st	Sept. 2nd
Sept. 1st	Sept. 3rd	Sept. 6th	Sept. 11th	Sept. 13th	Sept. 15th	Sept. 16th	Sept. 17th
Sept. 15th	Sept. 17th	Sept. 20th	Sept. 25th	Sept. 27th	Sept, 29th	Sept. 30th	Oct. 1st
Sept. 29th	Oct. 1st	Oct. 5th	Oct. 10th	Oct. 12th	Oct. 14th	Oct. 15th	Oct. 16th
Oct. 13th	Oct. 15th	Oct. 19th	Steam Canoe to Yola probably takes on mails and passengers last steam vessel to Yola.		Oct. 20th	Oct. 22nd	Oct. 23rd
Oct. 27th	Oct. 29th	Nov. 2nd	...	...	Nov. 4th	Nov. 5th	Nov. 6th
Nov. 10th	Nov. 12th	Nov. 16th	...	...	Nov. 17th	Nov. 18th	Nov. 19th

If possible a weekly mail will be run to Ibi from June 2nd, to November 10th.

First Large Boat (Sultan Class) direct to Yola.

Last Large Boat (Sultan Class) to Yola. River falls rapidly after October 6th.

Last Large Boat (Sultan Class) to Ibi.

THE DATES OF DEPARTURE WILL BE KEPT AS NEAR AS POSSIBLE.

River steamer for Burutu leaves Baro Thursdays, Lokoja Saturdays, weekly.

Weekly mail to Lokoja from Burutu due, leave Saturdays arriving Lokoja Thursdays.

Applications for passages and cargo space should be made to the Marine Transport Officer, Burutu, Forcados, Lokoja, Baro, or Onitsha.

H. A. CHILD,
Director of Marine.

Marine Headquarters
Lagos, Southern Nigeria
1st June, 1913.

483 Monthly Meteorological Return.

PLACE OF OBSERVATION	TEMPERATURE. Highest in the Shade.	Lowest in the Shade.	Mean.	Greatest Diurnal Variation.	Mean relative Humidity 9 a.m.	RAINFALL. Total.	Maximum on one day.	Daily average.	No. of days on which rain fell.	Prevailing Wind.	OBSERVER
MAY.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.			
Kontagora - -	100	69	85·0	26	60	3·36	·80	·10	9	S.W.	Sergt. Oliver and Mr. Mensah.
JUNE.											
Zungeru - -	99	69	82·6	25	79	2·85	·83	·09	12	S.	Dr. Manning
Katagum - -	110	66	89·5	42	47	·43	·35	·014	2	W.	Dr. Beattie
Kano - - -	108	70	81·8	38	51	2·87	·96	·09	6	S.W.	Dr. McGahey.
Lokoja - -	97	69	82·25	22	67	2·53	·59	·08	9	S.E.	Dr. C. E. S. Watson.
Bauchi - -	100	65	82·5	29	60	3·42	1·57	·11	10	S.W.	Dr. Crichton.
Ilorin - - -	93	66	77·9	23	78	4·75	1·35	·15	11	S.W.	Dr. Twomey.
Offa - - -	92	65	77·8	22	78·1	5·29	1·05	·17	14	S.	Dr. Peacock.
Jebba - - -	99	69	83·2	26	68	3·88	1·51	·1293	8	S.W.	Dr. Ellis
Zaria - - -	98	62	77·41	31	71	4·07	1·46	·135	11	S.W.	Dr. Taylor.
Baro - - -	101	70	84·3	29	72	6·56	1·92	·21	13	S.W.	Dr Moiser.
Kaduna - -	96	66	78·4	28	74	5·22	·85	·17	16	S.W.	Dr. Williams
Yola - -	101	68	84·5	23	72	3·80	1·48	·12	8	W.	Dr. Pollard.
Ibi - - -	95·0	68·0	80·9	23	76	4·29	1·70	·137	8	S.W.	Dr. Lobb.
Birnin Kebbi -	104	71	87·8	27	48	1·37	·75	·04	3	S.W.	Dr. Courtney
Geidam - -	113	65	91·6	44	31	·2	·17	006	2	W.	Dr. Porteous.
Ankpa - -	92	65	78·3	23	79	5·77	1·17	·19	11	S.W.	Dr. Thomson.
Kontagora - -	99	65	81·5	27	67	5·34	2·21	·17	7	S.W.	Mr. Mensah.
Sokoto - -	109	69	90·0	32	43	2·18	1·05	·08	5	S.W.	Dr. Norman.
Naraguta - -	90	56	72·4	33	61	7·13	1·40	·23	11	W.	Dr. Parsons.
Maiduguri - -	111	67	89·9	43	43	·27	·27	·009	1	W.S.W.	Dr. McLeay.
Nafada - -	107	66	88·4	38	51	0·78	0·40	0·026	7	N.W.	Dr. Jeffreys.
Wamba - -	96	67	79·2	22	71	5·24	1·40	174	9	S.W.&W.	Dr. McKinney.

15th June, 1913.

F. MANNING
P. M. O.

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NEWS CIRCULAR No. 31.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 1ST AUGUST, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 30th July:—

Miss. I. J. Evans, Nurse Medical, Armourer Sergt. G. A. Fraser, N. N. R.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 30th July:—

Mr. W. K. Fraser, 3rd Class Resident.

LAGOS, 31st July:—

Messrs. G. Malcolm, H. D. Foulkes, 3rd Class Residents, Mr. E. G. Findlay, Inspector of Works, P. W. D., Lieut. G. R. K. Evatt, Armourer Sergt. R. G. Hutchins, Colour Sergt. M. Shearing, N. N. R.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 1st August:—

Lieut. N. P. Shand, N. N. R., Mr. A. H. Meredith, Telegraph Inspector Post and Telegraphs.

BURUTU, 2nd August:— Nil.

P. M. Dwyer, 2nd Class Resident not returning.

NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 32.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 11TH AUGUST, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 6th August:—

Lieut. O. T. Frith, Sergts. W. A. Smith, W. Ireland, N. N. R., Mr. H. M. Peppercorn, Asst. Engineer, P. W. D., Drs. Pearson, Wood, Medical Officers, Messrs. J. Howell, S. Rhodes, Inspectors of Works, Mr. Matthew, Road Foreman, P. W. D.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 6th August:—

Mr. A. C. Ridsdale, Director of Public Works.

LAGOS, 7th August:— Nil.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 8th August:—

Messrs. J. P. Coatsworth, P. Hall, J. Johnson, G. C. W. Davson, Asst. Engineers, L. A. W. Powell, Inspector of Works, P.W.D., Mr. J. A. Hudson, District Supdnt. of Post and Telegraphs, Farrier Sergt. W. Tingle, Lieut. W. T. McGuire Bate, N. N. R., Mr. G. S. Browne, 3rd Class Resident, Mr. P. Merron, Keeper of Gaols.

BURUTU, 9th August:—

Mr. B. E. M. Waters, Asst. Resident, Capt. F. E. Bissell, Medical Officer.

Asst. Resident Kay resigned.

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Government Notices.

484 Christ's Hospital.

IT is proposed to appoint a "Donation Governor" of Christ's Hospital who will exercise the right on behalf of Nigeria of nominating selected children of Officers who have been in the service of Nigeria to "foundationerships" tenable at the schools of that institution. One child between the ages of 9 and 11 will be nominated for presentation as soon as possible after January 1st, 1914 and a second after an interval of three years.

Thereafter presentations will be made as vacancies occur, about every 3½ years. Children nominated for presentation will be required to pass an elementary examination and may be either boys or girls, and a certificate of character is required. No child can be presented whose parents are not in need of assistance for the education of their children.

In addition to the children nominated for presentation, the Donation Governor may nominate one child (under 13 years of age) about once in two years to compete at an examination for "foundationerships" under the same conditions.

In considering the claims of applicants, the child of an officer who has died in the service will have the preference, then the child of an officer who has died after leaving the service, then the child of one who has been invalided out of the service with a gratuity or small pension, and lastly of one who has retired on a small pension. In all cases the financial position of the family and the position in life of the father will of course be considered. Applications will be addressed to the Central Secretariat and it is requested that any one who knows of any deserving case will bring it forward for consideration.

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Payment of Mining Rents and Fees.

IT is hereby notified that all amounts payable to the Government in respect of Mining Fees, Rents of Mining Leases, Fees for Exclusive Prospecting Licences and Prospecting Rights should be paid or remitted direct to the Treasurer, Zungeru.

486 Amendment to G. S. O. No. 35

NOTICE No. 41.

Land Transport.

Page 108, Scale B, line 5, after the words "For office" delete "Resident" and add after words "2 loads" at end of line 6, Residents in charge of Divisions 4 loads.

487 Native Courts.

YOLA PROVINCE.

THE Warrants establishing Judicial Councils of Song and Goila dated 1st May 1911 are cancelled.

488 Townships.

JOS (Central Province) is hereby declared to be a Township of the First Class.

489 Erratum.

Notice No. 196 Gazette No. 7 of 15th April 1913, the date of re-absorption of Captain A. H. Hobbs, Adjutant, 2nd Bn., N. N. Regt., is 2nd June, 1913, and not as stated therein.

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No. 16. **EXTRAORDINARY.**

Vol. XII. THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 1913.

Government Notice.

PROCLAMATION No. 9. 1913, "The Forestry Proclamation 1913" is published by direction of the Governor :—

By His Excellency's Command,

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
21st August, 1913.

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NO. 9. 1913. 19

A PROCLAMATION.

Enacted by the Governor of Northern Nigeria.

L. S.

F. D. LUGARD,

A PROCLAMATION to amend the Forestry Proclamation.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of Northern Nigeria as follows:—

1. This Proclamation may be cited as the Forestry Proclamation 1913, and shall be read and construed as one with the Forestry Proclamation which is hereinafter referred to as the principal Proclamation. Short Title.

2. Section 7 of the principal Proclamation is hereby struck out and the following section substituted therefor:— Amendment of No. 9 of 1910 Schedule Chapter 62.

"7. Any person collecting rubber, except that known as Flake or Red Kano Rubber which is a product of

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The Forestry Amendment Proclamation 1913.

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the ficus platyphylla, or felling or destroying the trees named in the first schedule without a licence or in contravention of the terms of his licence or failing to declare any timber or rubber in his possession or in the possession of any agent under his control with intent to evade the payment of any royalty thereon and any person who sells or exposes for sale purchases or possesses any rubber or any log of the trees mentioned in the first schedule (including logs cut for steamer fuel) acquired in contravention of this Proclamation or any person who exports from the Protectorate any rubber the collection of which is prohibited as aforesaid without having first obtained a licence so to do shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £100 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 12 months."

Addition to Appendix.

3. The Appendix to the principal Proclamation is hereby amended by the addition thereto of the following Form:—

"**E.**—Licence to collect Rubber.

Fee £

Licence is hereby granted to to collect rubber in the Province of for the period extending from the 1st January to the 31st December 19 subject to the conditions of the Forestry Proclamation and any regulations made thereunder.

Resident.

Commencement.

4. This Proclamation shall commence and come into operation on the 30th day of August in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the PROTECTORATE of NORTHERN NIGERIA this 20th day of August in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

The Forestry Amendment Proclamation. 1913. 21

THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the Proclamation which has been approved by the Governor and found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Proclamation.

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

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Mr. W. K. Fraser, 3rd Class Resident.

LAGOS, 31st July:—

Messrs. G. Malcolm, H. D. Foulkes, 3rd Class Residents, Mr. E. G. Findlay, Inspector of Works, P. W. D., Lieut. G. R. K. Evatt, Armourer Sergt. R. G. Hutchins, Colour Sergt. M. Shearing, N. N. R.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 1st August:—

Lieut. N. P. Shand, N. N. R., Mr. A. H. Meredith, Telegraph Inspector Post and Telegraphs.

BURUTU, 2nd August:— Nil.

P. M. Dwyer, 2nd Class Resident not returning.

NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 32.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 11TH AUGUST, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 6th August:—

Lieut. O. T. Frith, Sergts. W. A. Smith, W. Ireland, N. N. R., Mr. H. M. Peppercorn, Asst. Engineer, P. W. D., Drs. Pearson, Wood, Medical Officers, Messrs. J. Howell, S. Rhodes, Inspectors of Works, Mr. Matthew, Road Foreman, P. W. D.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 6th August:—

Mr. A. C. Ridsdale, Director of Public Works.

LAGOS, 7th August:— Nil.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 8th August:—

Messrs. J. P. Coatsworth, P. Hall, J. Johnson, G. C. W. Davson, Asst. Engineers, L. A. W. Powell, Inspector of Works, P.W.D., Mr. J. A. Hudson, District Supdnt. of Post and Telegraphs, Farrier Sergt. W. Tingle, Lieut. W. T. McGuire Bate, N. N. R., Mr. G. S. Browne, 3rd Class Resident, Mr. P. Merron, Keeper of Gaols.

BURUTU, 9th August:—

Mr. B. E. M. Waters, Asst. Resident, Capt. F. E. Bissell, Medical Officer.

Asst. Resident Kay resigned.

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Government Notices.

484 Christ's Hospital.

IT is proposed to appoint a "Donation Governor" of Christ's Hospital who will exercise the right on behalf of Nigeria of nominating selected children of Officers who have been in the service of Nigeria to "foundationerships" tenable at the schools of that institution. One child between the ages of 9 and 11 will be nominated for presentation as soon as possible after January 1st, 1914 and a second after an interval of three years.

Thereafter presentations will be made as vacancies occur, about every 3½ years. Children nominated for presentation will be required to pass an elementary examination and may be either boys or girls, and a certificate of character is required. No child can be presented whose parents are not in need of assistance for the education of their children.

In addition to the children nominated for presentation, the Donation Governor may nominate one child (under 13 years of age) about once in two years to compete at an examination for "foundationerships" under the same conditions.

In considering the claims of applicants, the child of an officer who has died in the service will have the preference, then the child of an officer who has died after leaving the service, then the child of one who has been invalided out of the service with a gratuity or small pension, and lastly of one who has retired on a small pension. In all cases the financial position of the family and the position in life of the father will of course be considered. Applications will be addressed to the Central Secretariat and it is requested that any one who knows of any deserving case will bring it forward for consideration.

485
Payment of Mining Rents and Fees.

IT is hereby notified that all amounts payable to the Government in respect of Mining Fees, Rents of Mining Leases, Fees for Exclusive Prospecting Licences and Prospecting Rights should be paid or remitted direct to the Treasurer, Zungeru.

486 Amendment to G. S. O. No. 35

NOTICE No. 41.

Land Transport.

Page 108, Scale B, line 5, after the words "For office" delete "Resident" and add after words "2 loads" at end of line 6, Residents in charge of Divisions 4 loads.

487 Native Courts.

YOLA PROVINCE.

THE Warrants establishing Judicial Councils of Song and Goila dated 1st May 1911 are cancelled.

488 Townships.

JOS (Central Province) is hereby declared to be a Township of the First Class.

489 Erratum.

Notice No. 196 Gazette No. 7 of 15th April 1913, the date of re-absorption of Captain A. H. Hobbs, Adjutant, 2nd Bn., N. N. Regt., is 2nd June, 1913, and not as stated therein.

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Tide Pole Return Niger River.

FOR THE MONTHS OF APRIL, MAY, JUNE AND JULY, 1913.

Station.	April Lokoja.		May Lokoja.		June Lokoja.		July Lokoja.	
Week ending.	Rise.	Fall.	Rise	Fall	Rise	Fall	Rise	Fall
Readings on:—	ft. in.	ft. in	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.
7th	Nil.	... 7	... 1	... 4	... 3	... 6	1 9½	... ½
14th	Nil.	... 5	... 3	... 4	Nil.	... 4	2 8	Nil.
21st	Nil.	... 5	Nil.	... 1	... 5	... 1	... 10	... 1
28th	Nil.	... 5	2 1	... 2	... 11	Nil.	1 7	... 1
29th, 30th 31st. ...	... 2	... 2	... 4	... 1	... 2	Nil.	Nil.	... 4
Total ...	... 2	2...	2 9	1 ...	1 9	... 11	6 10½	... 6½
Total Rise or Fall	Nil.	1 10	1 9	Nil.	... 10	Nil	6 4	Nil.

491 **Obituary.**

THE Deputy Governor announces with deep regret the death of Mr. M. Neill, Senior Transport Officer, which occurred in England on the 15th instant.

By His Excellency's Command,

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
30th August, 1913.

492 **Post Office Notices**

RAHAMA Post Office will be closed on and from 1st September.

493

A POST Office has been opened at Jengre. The business will be limited to sale of Stamps, Registration of Letters and Parcels Post. There will be no Postal Telegraph Office at Jengre but cablegrams may be accepted at the Post Office for transmission from the Railway Telegraph Office.

W. HUDSON,
Acting Postmaster General.

494

THE fee for supplying the sender of a telegram with a receipt for the telegram and the relative charges has been reduced from 2d. to 1d.

W. HUDSON,
Actg. Postmaster-General

495

Kano-Central Provincial Boundary.

THE boundary between the Provinces of Kano and Central is altered so that now 38 Akwiam towns and villages become part of the emirate of Misau in Kano Province.

The new boundary is as follows:—

Starting from the point where the river Badetua falls into the Lesser Wobe at a point ½ mile from the village of Gaina Fillani at a bearing of 105.

	Bearing.	*Distance.*	*Object.*
1	83°	900 yrds.	Tree.
2	50°	242 „	„
3	60°	407 „	„
4	80°	382 „	„
5	95°	825 „	„
6	110°	372 „	„
7	115°	382 „	„
8	2630°	663 „	To point on Maguruni—Sarma Road 113 yrds. S. W. Sarma (Bearing 210°.)
9	91°	450 „	High ground.
10	96°	370 „	Into a bush on high ground.
11	94°	940 „	2 trees ¼ mile S. of Sarma Fillani.
12	99°	957 „	2 trees.
13	115°	440 „	Big kuka tree.
14	98°	640 „	Tsamia ¼ mile S. of Fadua.
15	150°	387 „	Big kuka tree.
16	100°	316 „	Tree.
17	90°	250 „	„
18	40°	260 „	„
19	96°	220 „	Leafless tree.
20	145°	108 „	Pollarded tree.
21	55°	640 „	Small tree between two large kuka.
22	2°	150 „	Tree.
23	350°	240 „	„
24	40°	240 „	„
25	49°	3660 „	A point on the Akwiam Lanzci road which forms a meeting point of the boundaries of Akwiam Dambam and Bauchi. Bearing to Yenya 45, distance 3 miles (cic.) Bearing the Zadua 231 distance 2 miles (cic.)

A. S. COLLARD,
Chief Surveyor.

20th August, 1913.

496 **JUDICIAL NOTICES**

In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. Narh, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Narh deceased, who died at Kano on the 27th day of July 1913 intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. Assistant Resident H. Bovill the Provisional Administrator at Kano on or before the 31st day of October 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 30th day of July, 1913.

C. D. NELSON
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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In the matter of the Estate of the late Lieut. C. N. Pillow, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Lieut. C. N. Pillow, deceased, who died at Lokoja on the 15th day of June, 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to the Cantonment Magistrate at Lokoja the Provisional Administrator on or before the 15th day of October, 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 7th day of August 1913.

H. C. HALL
Ex-Officio Administrator.

The Cantonment Magistrate's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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498 **Commissions.**

The following Commission has been issued:—

Name.	Appointment.	Nature of Commission.	Province.	Period.	Date of Commission.
Mr. A. C. G. Hastings ...	3rd Class Resident ...	To exercise full Judicial powers of a Resident	Bornu ...	Whilst in charge of Geidam Division ...	8th Aug 1913.
Major C. A. Booth ...	Assistant Resident ...	do.	do. ...	Whilst in charge of Gujba Division ...	do.
Captain G. Anderson ...	2nd Class Resident ...	To exercise full Judicial Powers of a Resident whilst the Resident is absent from Headquarters	Central	—	19th Aug. 1913

499 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Mr. Walter Nash	Confidential Clerk	Chief Secretary's ...	22nd July 1913 ...	22nd July 1913
Mr. A. H. Meredith	Telegraph Inspector	Post and Telegraphs ...	16th July „ ...	1st Aug. „
Mr. Henry McArthur Peppercorne ...	Assistant Engineer	Public Works	6th Aug. „ ...	22nd Aug. „
Dr. Cecil Joseph Herbert Pearson ...	Medical Officer	Medical	do. ...	do.
Dr. Bertram William Francis Wood ...	do.	do.	do. ...	do.
Mr. Alexander Matthew	Road Foreman	Public Works	do. ...	do.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. Joseph William Condua ...	2nd Class Clerk	Pol. and Administrative ...	22nd Jan. 1913 ...	24th Jan. 1913.
Mr. Theodosius Gabriel Vernon Nartey	2nd Class Draughtsman	Surveys	1st May 1913	Engaged locally.
Mr. Thomas Shadow	Assistant Bookbinder	Printing	1st Aug. „	do.

500 **Termination of Appointment.**

Name	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Lawani	Interpreter	Agriculture	23rd July 1913.	

501 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the Provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Standard.	Date of pass.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. M. Lakunle	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	Colloquial Test ...	11th July 1913.
Mr. J. P. Honny	do.	do. do. ...	do. ...	22nd July 1913.

502 **Resignation.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Mr. A. S. Kay	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	22nd May 1913.	

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Leave of Absence.

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months.	Days.	Months.	Days.			
Capt. F. F. W. Byng-Hall	3rd Class Resident	2	10	2	—	20th Aug. 1913	—	Full salary.
Mr. P. E. Bradney	Assistant Commissioner of Police	2	30	2	—	do.	—	do.
Mr. Feargus Dwyer	3rd Class Resident	2	—	2	—	—	21st Aug. 1913	do.
Mr. H. Cadman	Assistant Resident	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. H. E. Bellew	do.	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. M. C. Greene	do.	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. G. G. Pomeroy	Assistant Commissioner of Police	—	50	—	50	—	do.	do.
Mr. C. W. Mc Leay	Medical Officer	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Major G. L. Uniacke	Assistant Resident	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. C. M. Monsell	do.	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Dr. H. C. Jeffreys	Medical Officer	2	—	2	—	—	28th Aug. 1913	do.
L/Corpl. C. Renshaw, R. E.	N. C. O. Surveys	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
L/Corpl. W. Morton, R. E.	do.	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Invalided.								
Mr. M. R. Smith	Junior Superintendent, Education	—	5	—	—	—	do.	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. J. B. Affainie	2nd Class Clerk. Pol. & Administrative	3	—	—	—	6th Aug. 1913	—	Full salary. Cape Coast.

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Extension of Leave.

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Lieut. M. Neill	Senior Transport Officer	2 months & 2 days	29th July 1913	30th Sept. 1913	Half salary. Ill-health.
Major W. S. Sharpe, C. M. G.	2nd Class Resident	2 months	7th Aug. 1913	6th Oct. 1913	do.
Mr. W. F. Gowers	1st Class Resident	1 month & 7 days	6th Sept. 1913	12th Oct. 1913	1 month on half salary, and 7 days without salary. For the purpose of sitting for the final Bar Examination.
Mr. M. J. D. Beresford	3rd Assistant Secretary	2 weeks	23rd July „	5th Aug. „	Half salary. Ill-health.
Dr. A. J. T. Swann	Medical Officer	9 days	19th May „	27th May „	Without salary. On the ground of Urgent private affairs.

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Resumption of Duty.

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Miss I. J. Evans	Nurse	Medical	15th Aug. 1913.	
Mr. J. Howell	Inspector of Works	Public Works	22nd Aug. „	
Mr. S. Rhodes	do.	do.	do.	
Mr. B. E. B. Shaw	Assistant Conservator of Forests	Forestry	28th Aug. „	
Mr. A. C. Francis	3rd Class Resident	Political and Administrative	do.	
Major F. Edgar	Assistant Resident	do.	do.	
Mr. J. H. Hunt	Telegraph Inspector	Post and Telegraphs	do.	
Sergt. A. H. Godfrey	Sergeant	Medical	do.	

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Powers of Commanding Officer.

Under the provisions of Proclamation No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter XVIII, section 40, the Acting Commandant, Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, has, with the concurrence of the Governor, conferred the Powers of Commanding Officer on the following Officers:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Whilst Commanding Detachment at	Date of Warrant.	Remarks.
Capt. O. Oakes	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	Ankpa	16th July 1913.	
Lieut. A. P. Garnier	1st Bn. N. N. Regt.	Zungeru	5th July 1913.	
Lieut. A. F. P. Knapp	M. I., N. N. Regt.	Sokoto	11th August 1913.	

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507 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Lieut. Norman Protheroe Shand, Norfolk Regiment ...	Company Officer ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	16th July 1913 ...	1st August 1913.
Lieut. Osmund Townley Frith, Royal Field Artillery ...	Subaltern	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	6th August 1913 ...	22nd August „
BRITISH N.C.Os.				
Farrier Sergt. William Tingle, 6th Dragoon Guards ...	Farrier Sergeant ...	M. I., N. N. Regt. ...	23rd July 1913 ...	8th August „
Sergt. William Arthur Heseltine Smith, Royal Irish Regiment ...	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	6th August 1913 ...	22nd August „

508 **Acting Appointments.**

Rank and Name.	Unit.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Sergeant Major H. W. Johnson	1st Bn. N. N. Regt.	Quartermaster Sergeant, Brigade Office, N. N. Regt.	22nd July 1913.	
Lieut.-Colonel J. B. Cockburn	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Commandant, N. N. Regt. ...	12th August 1913.	
Lieut. Sir A. C. Gibson-Craig, Bt. ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	Intelligence Officer, N. N. Regt. ...	do.	

509 **Promotions.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	With effect from.
BRITISH N.C.O's.			
Orderly Room Sergeant H. W. Johnson	Orderly Room Sergt., 1st Bn., N.N. Regt.	Sergeant Major	12th May, 1913.
Colour Sergeant F. W. Dean	Colour Sergeant, do. ...	Orderly Room Sergeant	do.
1st Rating Sergeant W. King	1st Rating Sergeant, do. ...	Colour Sergeant	do.
2nd Rating Sergeant E. J. Wilton	2nd Rating Sergeant, do. ...	1st Rating Sergeant	do.
2nd Rating Sergeant A. Kerry	do. do. ...	do.	30th March, 1913.
1st Rating Sergeant T. A. Vise	1st Rating Sergeant, Artillery, N.N. Regt.	Battery Sergeant Major	13th Junn, 1913.
2nd Rating Sergeant J. P. Loughran	2nd Rating Sergeant, do. do. ...	1st Rating Sergeant	do.

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510 **Leave of Absence**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
BRITISH N. C. O.								
Farrier Sergt. T. Inglis ...	M. I., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	40 ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	21st Aug. 1913	Full salary.

511 **Resumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Capt. J. F. Badham	Company Commander	M.I. N. N. Regt.	
Capt. G. E. O. F. Lambert	Company Officer	do.	
BRITISH N. C. Os.			
Sergeant W. Ireland	2nd Rating Sergeant	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	
Armourer Sergeant G. A. Fraser	Armourer Sergeant	do.	15th August 1913.

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512 **Extension of Leave.**

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Lieut. H. N. Fairbank ...	Artillery, N. N. Regt. ...	3 months & 25 days	29th May 1913	22nd Sept. 1913	Ill-health. Army rate..
Lieut. J. W. E. Boulderson ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 months & 19 days	13th June „ ...	31st Augt. „ ...	do. do.
Captain J. G. Adams ...	M. I., N. N. Regt.	3 months & 12 days	4th July „ ...	15th Oct. „ ...	do. do.
Captain G. C. Kelly ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 months & 21 days	12th July „ ...	2nd Oct. „ ...	Ill-health. Half salary
Lieut. C. Luxford ...	do ...	3 months ...	23rd July „ ...	22nd Oct. „ ...	do. do.

513 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions of G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed :—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Lieutenant E. C. Smith ...	Company Officer	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	Colloquial Test ...	5th June 1913.
Lieutenant H. W. Symons ...	do. ...	M. I., N. N. Regt. .. ..;	do.	26th July 1913.

514 **Re-absorptions.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of reabsorption into British Regiment.	Remarks.
Captain H. H. Shott, D.S.O.	Company Commander ...	2nd Bn. N. N. Regt. ...	4th July 1913.	
Lieutenant W. E. Williams	Company Officer ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	5th May „	
BRITISH N.C.Os.				
Sergeant Major P. G. Noott	Sergeant Major ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	12th May „	
Sergeant T. A. Buller	1st Rating Sergeant ...	do. ...	30th Mar. „	

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515 **English Examination.**

Under the provisions of G. S. O. No. 52, para. 4, the undermentioned passed :—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.	Remarks.
NATIVE SOLDIERS.				
No. 5304 Coy. Sergt. Maj. Moma Jima ...	"B" Coy., 1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Lower Standard	4th July 1913.	
„ 5472 Sergeant Maha Kuchi ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 5678 Lance Corporal Musa Kano ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 4944 Private Moma Jega ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 5417 „ Yerima Kano ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 6818 „ Adamu	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 6921 „ Alheri Yola ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 194 Maxim Gun Carrier Musa Beda	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 4645 Company Sergeant Major Saidu	"D" Coy., 2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	do.	12th July, 1913.	
„ 4689 Sergeant Abdulai ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 2805 Sergeant Osuman Kano ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 3954 Corporal Sambo Bauchi ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 5353 Corporal Maikassawa ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 4655 Lance Corporal Momadu Giri...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 5702 Lance Corpl. Sambo Bauchi II	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 1887 Bugler Abeodum Ogbomoso ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 532 Private Suli Kano ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 3450 „ Kaku	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 4363 „ Awudu Jubu ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 4848 „ Sani Kegela ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 4967 „ Dowdu Kura ...	do. do. ..	do.	do.	
„ 5176 „ Osuman Giri ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 5295 „ Adamu Waze ...	do. do. ...	do.	do.	
„ 6072 „ Musa II	do. do. ...	do.	do.	

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516 **Statement of Assets and**

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Deposits due by the Protectorate	41,897	4	7
Deposit Account N. N Native Reserve Funds ... per contra	27,098	7	10
Deposit Account Public Officers Guarantee Fund (including £1,000 per contra) ...	2,081	19	5
Combined Departments Account	841	16	3
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	139,918	8	8
	211,837	16	9

SURPLUS AND

Expenditure Account 1913	50,235	9	4
Excess of Assets over Liabilities, as above	139,918	8	8
	190,153	18	0

Liabilities on 31st January 1913.

Assets.		£	s.	d.
Cash Balance in the hands of Treasurer and Local Sub-Accountants	£96,054 3 9			
Do. Crown Agents ...	11,867 6 6	107,921	10	3
Advances due by Baro-Kano Railway Construction ...		650	5	1
Do. (Sundry) due to the Protectorate ...		15,463	10	6
Drafts and Remittances in transit		41,687	8	6
Imprests Account		568	9	0
Revenue Suspense Account		928	18	0
Unallocated Stores Suspense Account		16,519	7	7
Investments Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds ...		27,098	7	10
Investments Public Officers Guarantee Fund		1,000	0	0
		211,837	16	9

DEFICIT ACCOUNT.

Asset Balance 31st December 1912	143,137	7	2
Revenue Account 1913	47,016	10	10
	190,153	18	0

T. B. Phillips,
Acting Treasurer.

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517 **Statement of Assets and**

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Deposits due by the Protectorate ...	42,140	6	4
Deposit Account N. N. Native Reserve Funds (including £27,098 7 10 per contra) ...	27,398	7	10
Deposit Account Public Officers Guarantee Fund (including £1,000 per contra) ...	2,296	16	1
Combined Departments	3,932	9	10
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	140,788	9	8
	216,556	9	9

SURPLUS AND

Expenditure Account 1913	88,850	12	8
Excess of Assets over Liabilities as above	140,788	9	8
	229,639	2	4

Liabilities on 28th February 1913.

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Cash balance in the hands of Treasurer and Local Sub-Accountants	£105,756 7 5			
do. Crown Agents	30,669 16 2	136,426	3	7
Advances due by Baro-Kano Railway construction		621	16	6
do. (Sundry) due to the Protectorate		13,676	14	1
Drafts and Remittances in transit		18,849	3	0
Imprests Account		756	14	7
Revenue Suspense Account		1,166	1	6
Unallocated Stores Suspense Account		16,961	8	8
Investments Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds ...		27,098	7	10
do. Public Officers Guarantee Fund		1,000	0	0
		216,556	9	9

DEFICIT ACCOUNT.

Asset Balance 31st December 1912	143,137	7	2
Revenue Account 1913	86,501	15	2
	229,639	2	4

T. B. PHILLIPS,
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SAILINGS:— Burutu, 13th August:—

Mr. H. B. James, Assistant Resident.

Lagos; 14th August:—

Lieut. Colonel R. McDonall, Capts. D. H. MacDonell, D.S.O., H. G. Howell, N. N. R., Mr. H. S. Smith, Asst. Resident, Mr. F. S. Merrick, Deputy I. G. P.

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Miss I. J. Evans, Nurse, Medical, Armourer Sergt. G. A. Fraser, N. N. R.

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THE Deputy Governor announces with deep regret the death of Lieut. J. W. E. Boulderson, Royal Munster Fusiliers, and 1st Bn., Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, which occurred in England on the 15th July, 1913.

By His Excellency's Command,
H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
15th September, 1913.

523 **JUDICIAL NOTICES.**

In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. George Wernick, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. George Wernick, deceased, who died at Lokoja on the 29th day of August 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to the Cantonment Magistrate at Lokoja Provisional Administrator on or before the 29th day of November 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 1st day of September 1913.

C. D. NELSON
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

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In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. M. Neill, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. M. Neill, deceased, who died in England on the 15th day of August, 1913, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 31st day of October, 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 10th day of September 1913.

H. C. HALL,
Ex-Officio Administrator.

The Cantonment Magistrate's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

525 **Commissions.**

The following Commissions have been issued:—

Name.	Appointment.	Nature of Commission.	Province.	Period.	Date of Commission.
Mr. G. Macgregor ...	Assistant Resident ...	To exercise full Judicial Powers up to 2 years imprisonment £50 fine and 24 lashes.	Kabba ...	Whilst in charge of Kukuruku District	5th Aug 1913
Mr. J. C. O. Clarke ...	do. ...	To exercise full Judicial Powers of a Resident to try the case only of Rex versus Kasua charged with murder	Kontagora ...	—	23rd Aug. "

526 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Mr. G. G Pomeroy* ...	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	Police ...	25th June 1913 ...	25th June 1913.
Mr. Errol Vivian Rochfort Rae ...	Assistant Resident ...	Political and Administrative ...	13th Aug. " ...	28th Aug. "
Mr. Duncan Elliott ...	Assistant Engineer ...	Public Works ...	do. ...	do.
Mr. Herbert Philip Frith ...	Assistant Resident ...	Political and Administrative ...	do. ...	30th Aug. "
Capt. John Frederick Strathearn Gordon do.	do. ...	do. ...	do. ...	do.
Miss Ethel Mary Foster ...	Nurse ...	Medical ...	20th Aug. " ...	4th Sept. "
Revd. George Percy Bargery ...	Junior Superintendent ...	Education ...	do. ...	do.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. Thomas Watson ...	3rd Class Dispenser ...	Medical ...	1st Aug. " ...	1st Aug. "
Mr. Babington Pratt ...	2nd Class Clerk ...	Cantonment Office (Lokoja) ...	7th July " ...	7th July "

* On transfer from Nigerian Railway.

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527 **Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. J. Sutherland Brown ...	Public Works	Executive Engineer	1st January 1913.	
Mr. G. P. Lewis	Post and Telegraphs ...	Deputy Postmaster General ...	11th February 1913.	
Mr. T. B. Phillips	Treasury	Treasurer	16th July 1913.	
Mr. C. L. Anderson	do.	Chief Assistant Treasurer	do.	
Mr. E. Lloyd Williams ...	Public Works	Director of Public Works	2nd August 1913.	

528 **Termination of Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Acting Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. G. P. Lewis	Deputy Postmaster General .	Post and Telegraphs ...	11th April 1913	
Mr. J. Sutherland Brown	Executive Engineer	Public Works ...	15th April „	
Mr. T. B. Phillips	Chief Assistant Treasurer ...	Treasury	16th July „	

529 **Confirmation of Appointments.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Mr. H. H. Middleton	Assistant Resident	Political & Administrative ...	30th March 1910.	
Dr. P. W. Black	Medical Officer	Medical	29th May 1912.	

530 **Termination of Appointments.**

Name	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. H. E. Hicks	Chauffeur	Governor's Office ...	17th May 1913.	
Mr. J. M. Mason	Inspector of Works	Public Works	12th June 1913.	
L/C. W. R. Pulfer R.E.	—	Tinfields Survey ...	13th July 1913.	

531 **Transfers.**

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Mr. E. V. Parodi	Puisne Judge	Sierra Leone ...	Circuit Judge	9th April 1913.
Dr. J. E. L. Johnston ...	Medical Officer	Southern Nigeria (Medical Reseach Institute.) ...	Acting Assistant Bacteriologist ...	18th June 1913.

532 **Revertion.**

Name.	Appointment.	Reverted to	New appointment.	With effect from.
Mr. J Radcliff	Senior Transport Officer	Police	Asst. Commissioner of Police ...	3rd December 1912.

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533 **Promotions.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Aji Bunu	Interpreter	Political Agent	Pol. & Administrative ...	1st July 1913.
Mr. H. J. Olukolu	3rd Class Compositor	2nd Class Compositor & Machine Printer	Printing	1st Sept. „

534 **Resignations.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Ogundi Ilorin	2nd Class Warder	Prisons	31st May 1913.	
Mr. G. Beckley	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	28th July 1913.	

535 **Permanent Staff.**

The following Native Official, having completed three years service is placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the date stated against his name

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. L. V. B. Hesse	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	10th December 1909.	

536 **Reduction.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Reduced to.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Ogunleke Ogbomosho	2nd Class Warder	Prisons	3rd Class Warder ...	7th Aug. 1913.

537 **Dismissals.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.			
Mr. B. E. J. Campbell	Clerk	Nigerian Railway	17th July 1913.
Mr. J. A. Cole	do.	do.	do.
Mr. C. W. Thompson	do.	do.	do.

538 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the Provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Mr. S. H. P. Vereker	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	Lower Standard Progress	5th April 1913.
Mr. C. O. Migeod	3rd Class Resident	do. do. ...	Higher Standard Final ...	27th June 1913.

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539 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months.	Vacation. Days.	Return. Months.	Return. Days.	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Dr. J. M. W. Pollard	Medical Officer	2	—	2	—	3rd Sept. '13.	—	Full salary.
Dr. E. C. Adams	do.	2	—	2	—	—	4th Sept. '13.	do.
Miss E. Moorehead	Nurse Medical	2	—	—	—	10th Sept. '13.	—	do.
Mr. W. P. Hewby, C.M.G.	1st Class Resident	2	30	2	—	—	11th Sept. '13.	do.
Mr. F. F. Hopkins	1st Assistant Secretary	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Mr. G. O. Nugent	2nd Assistant Secretary	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Dr. W. I. Taylor	Senior Medical Officer	2	—	2	—	—	do.	do.
Miss E. M. Deering	Nurse Medical	2	—	—	—	—	do.	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. E. M. Daniels	1st Class Clerk & Operator	3	—	—	—	13th Aug. 1913	—	Full salary. Accra.
Mr. E. W. Quartey	Chief Warder Prisons	3	—	—	—	—	—	Full salary Forcados. With effect from 1st July 1913.

540 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Dr. C. T. Costello	Medical Officer	1 month	23rd June 1913	22nd July 1913	Half salary. Ill-health.
Mr. F. G. Pratt	Asst Engineer, P.W.D.	2 weeks	19th Aug. "	1st Sept. "	Without salary. Urgent private affairs.
Capt. A. E. Johnson	Inspector General of Police	9 days	2nd July "	10th July "	Half salary. Ill-health.
Capt. F. E. Bissell	Medical Officer	11 days	12th July "	22nd July "	do.
NATIVE STAFF.					
Mr. E. A. Williams	1st Class Clerk, Medical	1 month	24th Aug. 1913	23rd Sept. 1913	Half salary. Ill-health.

541 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Dr. F. W. McCay	Medical Officer	Medical	4th September 1913.	
Capt. F. A. E. Godwin	Commissioner of Police	Police	do.	
Mr. M. J. D. Beresford	3rd Assistant Secretary	Chief Secretary's	do.	
Mr. A. D. Hamlyn	do.	do.	do.	
Mr. A. C. Shipway	Telegraph Inspector	Post and Telegrahs	do.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. T. George	2nd Class Clerk and Operator	Post and Telegraphs	2nd August 1913.	

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

542 **Powers of Commanding Officer.**

Under the provisions of Proclamation No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter XVIII, section 40, the Acting Commandant, Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, has, with the concurrence of the Governor, conferred the Powers of Commanding Officer on the following Officers:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Whilst Commanding Detachment at	Date of Warrant.	Remarks.
Capt. F. C. Longbourne	M. I., N. N. Regt.	Geidam	11th August 1913.	

543 **Appointment and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Lieutenant Edward Austin, 4th (Queen's Own) Hussars	Company Officer	M. I., N. N. Regt.	20th Aug. 1913	4th Sept. 1913.

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Capt. T. S. Wickham, D.S.O.	M. I., N. N. Regt.	2	—	2	—	—	11th Sept. 1913	Full salary.
Invalided. Lieut. J. Bremner	Headquarters, N. N. Regt.	—	25	—	—	—	do.	do.

Resumption of Duty.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Capt. J. F. Badham *	—	—	28th August 1913.
Capt. G. E. O. F. Lambart *	—	—	do.
Lieutenant H. N. Vinen	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	4th Sept. "
Lieutenant C. S. Field	do.	do.	do.
BRITISH N. C. Os. Sergeant W. H. Ireland	2nd Rating Sergeant	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	23rd August 1913.
Colour Sergeant W. King	Colour Sergeant	1st Bn. N .N. Regt.	4th Sept. "
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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Captain O. Oakes	Company Officer	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	Colloquial Test	11th August 1913.

Re-absorptions.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of reabsorption into British Regiment.	Remarks.
BRITISH N.C.O. Sergeant Major A. Vermuelen	Sergeant Major	M.I. N. N. Regt.	8th September 1913.	

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Mr. E. G. Bruce	Pay Clerk, 2nd Class	1st Bn., N. N. Regiment	8th June 1910.	

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QUARTERLY SUMMARY OF ZUNGERU CANTONMENT ACCOUNTS.

FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH JUNE 1913.

1913.	Receipts.	£	s.	d.	1913.	Expenditure.	£	s.	d
	To Balance — — — —	9	9	5		By Maintenance of Cantonment — — —	58	19	6
	„ Cantonment Rates — — —	5	5	9		„ Sanitary Services — — —	76	4	0
	„ Conservancy Tax — — —	33	1	0		„ Miscellaneous — — —	4	8	0
	„ Miscellaneous — — —	11	16	0		„ Pay of Departmental Staff — — —	84	5	0
	„ Half Rent of plots — — —	1	17	1		„ Tools and Implements — — —	1	16	11
	„ Grant from Treasury — — —	189	5	0		„ Balance — — — —	25	0	10
		250	14	3			250	14	3

Examined and found correct (subject to queries).

H. GUSH,
for Auditor.

Zungeru,
7th July, 1913

H. C. HALL,
Cantonment Magistrate.

QUARTERLY STATEMENT OF LOKOJA CANTONMENT FUND ACCOUNTS.

FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH JUNE 1913.

1913.	Receipts.	£	s.	d.	1913.	Payments	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	To Balance on 31st March 1913	0	3	11		*By amount expended as under:—*						
	Amounts collected as under:—					„ Cantonment & Conservancy Labour				180	15	3
	„ Assessment Tax	40	12	2		„ Pay of Staff				41	10	0
	„ Conservancy „ „	33	2	3		„ Purchase of Stores				2	15	9
	„ Grant from Treasury	148	0	0		„ Refund of Conservancy Tax				0	6	0
	„ ½ Rents on Plots in Cantonment	21	9	0		„ Balance on 30th June 1913. Cash				18	0	4
		243	7	4						243	7	4

Audited and found correct.

N. A. W. HINE,
Asst. Auditor.

Lokoja,
14th July 1913.

H. S. BERKELEY,
Cantonment Magistrate.

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551 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 26th July, 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 26th July 1913 ...	2,064	418	8,973	1,615	21	11	13,102
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,040	304	6,985	1,312	16	8	10,665
Increase ...	24	114	1,988	303	5	3	2,437
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	63,852	9,903	280,954	36,754	637	812	392,912
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	53,920	9,622	178,859	33,352	593	827	277,173
Increase ...	9,932	281	102,095	3,402	44	—	115,739
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	15	—

Estimated Revenue for the year 1913 ... £543,000
Proportionate Estimate for period 1st January to 26th July 307,948
Amount actually realised 392,912
Excess Earings to date over Estimate ... 84,964

Mileage Open 912
Mean Mileage Worked ... 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £14·37

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles	Jebba North to Minna 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles	Zaria-Kahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,884	126	346	126	2,482
Goods	7,891	76	2,198	423	10,588
Telegraph	15	—	3	3	21
Sundries	9	—	1	1	11
Total for Week	9,799	202	2,548	553	13,102
Total for current year	267,857	6,441	82,382	36,232	392,912
Corresponding period of 1912	218,572	9,356	43,085	6,160	277,173
Increase	49,285	—	39,297	30,072	115,739
Decrease	—	2915	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	645	928	42	—	1,615
Total for current year ...	7,491	26,687	2,336	240	36,754
Corresponding period of 1912	4,384	19,986	1,575	7,407	33,352
Increase ...	3,107	6,701	761	—	3,402
Decrease ...	—	—	—	7,167	—

TRAMWAY.

	£
For the Week	59
Total for current year	1,941
Corresponding period of 1912	1,627
Increase	314
Decrease	—

Ebute Metta,
14th August, 1913.

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant

M. Y. GRANT,
for Acting General Manager.

552 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 2nd August 1913.

PERIOD	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 2nd August 1913 ...	2,146	225	8,749	1,444	21	12	12,597
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,166	386	6,462	1,255	17	514	10,800
Increase ...	—	—	2,287	189	4	—	1,797
Decrease ...	20	161	—	—	—	502	—
Total for Current year to date ...	65,998	10,128	289,703	38,198	658	824	405,509
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	56,086	10,008	185,321	34,607	610	1,341	287,973
Increase ...	9,912	120	104,382	3,591	48	—	117,536
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	517	—

Estimated Revenue for the year 1913 ... £543,000
Proportionate Estimate for period 1st January to 2nd August £318,362
Amount actually realised £405,509
Excess Earnings over Estimate £87,147

Mileage Open 912
Mean Mileage Worked, 912
Average Receipts per mean mile £13·81.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

PARTICULARS.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba-North to Peji 141 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria-Kahama 89 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,575	156	527	113	2,371
Goods	7,980	85	1,504	625	10,194
Telegraph	18	—	2	1	21
Sundries	8	—	2	1	11
Total for Week	9,581	241	2,035	740	12,597
Total for current year	277,438	6,682	84,417	36,972	405,509
Corresponding period of 1912	226,220	10,295	44,849	6,609	287,973
Increase	51,218	—	39,568	30,363	117,536
Decrease	—	3,613	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	405	987	52	—	1,444
Total for current year ...	7,896	27,674	2,388	240	38,198
Corresponding period of 1912	4,554	20,825	1,636	7,592	34,607
Increase ...	3,342	6,849	752	—	3,591
Decrease ...	—	—	—	7,352	—

TRAMWAY.

	£
For the Week	56
Total for current year	1,997
Corresponding period of 1912	1,671
Increase	326
Decrease	—

Ebute Metta,
21st August, 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Actg. Chief Accountant.

F. H. WALLER,
Actg. General Manager.

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NOTICE.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

The attention of the Public is called to the following alterations to the Railway Tariff as published on October 15th 1912, which have been duly authorised by the Director of Railways and Works under Proclamation No. 9 of 1912 Section 20f Northern Nigeria and published as detailed.

Alterations and Additions.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
Pages 111 & 112 of Rate Lists in Goods Tariff.	Cancel rates for excess luggage, parcels and horses, Bauchi Section.	Substitute rates for baggage and horses, pages 89 to 109 of Rate Lists in Goods Tariff.	37	1st Aug. 1913.
	Rebates.			
Page 49 of Goods Tariff. Regulation No 45 (*a.*)	In the case of bookings between Stations on the Lagos—Minna Section to Stations on the Baro-Kano and Bauchi Sections and also in the case of bookings on the Baro-Kano and Bauchi Sections the rebate will be as follows :—	To be deleted.	42	do.
do. Regulation No. 45 (*b.*)	2½ per cent on consignments not less than 12 tons and 5 per cent on consignments weighing not less than 18 tons, provided that such consignments can be loaded in one wagon.	To be deleted.	42	do.
do. Regulation No. 45 (*c.*)	———	To be renumberd as 45 (*a.*)	42	do.
do. Regulation No. 45.	———	"*Add* as clause (*b.*) In the case of consignments booked from the Local Goods Shed Iddo, the rebates, under this section, will be applied irrespective whether the goods are loaded in one wagon or not, & will apply to the whole consignment"	41	do.
do. (*d.*) (*e.*)	———	*To be renambered.* (*c.*) (*d.*)	—	–
Page 50 of Goods Tariff. Regulation No. 45 (*e.*)	The consignment must be of one commodity & one class only (as defined in the Tariff classification), be booked to the same station, and be loaded & unloaded by the owners.	The consignment must be of one commodity & class only (as defined in the Tariff Classification), be booked to the same station, must belong to one owner, & be loaded & unloaded by the owners, Rebate will only be allowed on goods booked on one Way Bill.	42	1st Aug. 1913.
Page 50 of Goods Tariff. Regulation No. 45 (*f.*)	The wagon load may consist of any commodities other than those consigned at special rates, must belong to one owner, be booked to the same station, & be loaded & unloaded by the owner.	To be deleted.	42	do.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
23rd July, 1913.

By Order,
F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager.

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CUSTOMS NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a sale of the following unclaimed goods lying in the King's Warehouse Lagos, will be held at the Customs House, on Friday the 5th day of September 1913, at 9 o'clock a.m. precisely, under the provisions of sections 102 and 268 of Customs Ordinance, 1908.

Packages not cleared before the 21st day of August 1913, will be opened and a list of contents published.

No Bill of Entry will be accepted after 3 p.m. on the 4th September 1913.

Mark or Address.	Warehouse Date.	Number on Packages.	Quantity of Packages.	Name of Steamer.	Remarks.
B.F.B.S.	3rd Mar. 1913	—	1 Case	Mendi	
A.N.	23rd Apl. 1913	1	1 ,,	Elizabeth Brock	
OBOO.	5th May 1913	3823	1 ,,	Nigeria	
,,	,,	3824	1 ,,	,,	
N/M	25th Mar. 1913	121	1 ,,	Tarquah	
S. & Co.	24th May 1913	2	1 ,,	Melville	
A.D.L.T.C.	28th May 1913	—	1 Drum	Burutu	
H.B.W.R./D942	6th Mar. 1913	—	1 Case Gin	Lalu Bohlen	
P.Z.H.	10th Mar. 1913	—	2 ,, ,,	,,	
A.B.M.	5th June 1913	—	1 ,, ,,	,,	
R.H.F.	28th May 1913	—	11 Buckets	Burutu	
H.B.W.R./D952	6th Mar. 1913	—	6 Cases Gin	Ilaro	
B.N. 2 A.F.	11th Mar. 1913	—	1 ,, ,,	,,	
A.B.M.	7th Mar. 1913	—	4 ,, ,,	Duala	
L.S.L.	5th Mar. 1913	—	2 ,, ,,	,,	
,,	3rd May 1913	—	1 ,, ,,	Palma	
M.L.	1st Apl. 1913	—	3 ,, ,,	Banana	
J. B. A. Cole	27th Mar. 1913	—	1 Case Kerosine	Appam	
F.G.O. 2111	28th May 1913	2230	1 Bale	Burutu	
,,	,,	2229	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	2228	1 ,,	,,	
F.G.O. 2219	6th June 1913	2237	1 ,,	Tarquah	
,,	,,	2236	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	2238	1 ,,	,,	
E.B.M./G.A.C.	5th June 1913	494	1 Case Sardines	,,	
G.G.	,,	—	1 ,, Soap	,,	
,,	5th June 1913	—	1 Case	,,	
E.B.M./A.F.	2nd June 1913	—	1 ,, Milk	Dakar	
E.B.M./L.A.	6th June 1913	2523	1 Case	Mendi	
F.G./2191	16th June 1913	2260	1 Bale	Falaba	
,,	,,	2261	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	2262	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	2263	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	2259	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	2264	1 ,,	,,	
A.K.I.	23rd June 1913	—	1 Bag Corn	Karina	
N/M	5th June 1913	—	1 Bundle Rushes	,,	
B.A.	16th June 1913	15185	1 Case	Armfried	
,,	,,	15184	1 ,,	,,	
F.G.	,,	1413	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	1414	1 ,,	,,	
J.F.S. 728	,,	6794	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	6795	1 ,,	,,	
J.F.S. 308	,,	1399	1 ,,	,,	
,,	,,	1455	1 ,,	,,	
C.H. 3 J.A.F.	27th June 1913	—	1 Case Gin	Winnebah	
H.B.W.R./D942	,,	—	1 ,, ,,	,,	
Daniel K. Tette	14th Apl. 1913	—	1 Trunk	Prof. Woemann	
William Ataiyi	12th June 1913	—	1 Tin	,,	
T.C. & S.	26th June 1913	8970	1 Case	Appam	
N/M	7th June 1913	—	1 Case O.T. Gin	Abonema	
M.G.	23rd June 1913	—	1 Case	Akabo	
Bauchi	6th June 1913	9718	1 ,,	Tarquah	
M.L.	28th May 1913	—	1 ,,	Burutu	
P.Z. 0281	9th May 1913	—	1 Box Soap	Elmina	

As many of the marks are very indistinct, the Comptroller of Customs cannot hold himself responsible for the accuracy or sufficiency of the published marks.

Customs House,
Lagos, 7th August 1913.

N. V. STAFFORD SOLOMON
Collector of Customs.

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555 **Monthly Meteorological Return.**

PLACE OF OBSERVATION	TEMPERATURE. Highest in the Shade.	Lowest in the Shade.	Mean.	Greatest Diurnal Variation.	Mean relative Humidity 9 a.m.	RAINFALL. Total.	Maximum on one day.	Daily average.	No. of days on which rain fell.	Prevailing Wind.	OBSERVER
JULY.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.			
Zungeru	92	66	78·1	20	87	7·94	1·83	·25	15	S.	Dr. Manning
Lokoja	92	64	78·2	23	77	5·16	1·60	·16	13	S.W.	Dr. C. E. S. Watson.
Kano	98	65	81·4	28	68	5·41	·90	·17	14	S.W.	Dr. Porteous.
Yola	96	68	80·9	22	73	5·12	1·60	·16	10	W.	Dr. Pollard.
Bauchi	95	65	78·1	25	68	9·02	1·57	·29	13	S.W.	Dr. Crichton
Ilorin	89	66	77·4	21	80	4.86	1·34	·15	15	S.W.	Dr. Twomey.
Maiduguri	104	67	87·3	28	55	2.88	1·31	0·09	8	S.W.	Dr. Swann.
Zaria	87	64	75·25	22	76	6·43	1·19	·20	19	S.W.	Dr. Taylor.
Katagum	102	68	84·4	32	62	4·71	1·64	·15	11	W.	Dr. Beattie
Sokoto	98	67	83	28	60	2·84	1·25	·09	6	S.W.	Dr. Norman.
Wamba	91	65	77·2	24	79	9·73	1·51	·31	16	S.W.	Dr. McKinney
Nafada	100	65	84·2	31	64	3·82	0·97	0·12	11	S.W.	Dr. Jeffreys.
Baro	96	69	80·8	27	76	12·35	2·32	·39	17	S.W.	Dr Moiser.
Birnin Kebbi	99	67	82·6	25	65	5·14	1·55	·16	10	S.W.	Dr. Courtney
Ankpa	87	65	76	20	86	8·07	1·84	·26	13	S.W.	Dr. Thomson.
Kaduna	88	64	75·1	21	81	11·81	2·20	·38	18	S.W.	Dr. Williams
Kontagora	93	68	79·0	20	77	5·72	1·60	·18	14	S.W.	Sergt. Oliver.
Jebba	93	68	78·2	19	77	4·55	1·08	·14	11	S.W.	Dr. Ellis
Offa	89	65	76·3	20	82	5·48	1·23	·17	16	S-W.	Dr. Peacock.
Geidam	106	70	88·6	35	48	1·36	·63	·04	8	W.	Dr. Davies.
Naraguta	90	55	70·9	30	66	11·56	2·20	·37	20	S.W.	Dr. Parsons
Ibi	88	67	80	19	80	9·14	2·20	·29	13	S.W.	Dr. Lobb.

31st July, 1913.

F. MANNING
P. M. O.

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NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 34.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 29TH AUGUST, 1913.

SAILINGS:— LIVERPOOL, 27th August:—

Lieut. L. C Bostock, N. N. R., Mr. A. S. Evans, Inspector of Works, P. W. D.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 27th August:—

Nil.

LAGOS; 28th August:—

Major G. L. Uniacke, Mr. C. M. Monsell, Asst. Residents, Dr. H. C. Jeffreys, Medical Officer, Mr. M. R. Smith, Junior Supdnt. of Education, Lance Corporals C. Renshaw, W. Morton, Surveys Department.

ARRIVALS:— LAGOS, 28th August:—

Mr. A, C. Francis, 3rd Class Resident, Major F. Edgar, Mr. E. V. R. Rae, Assistant Residents, Mr. D. Elliott, Assistant Engineer, P.W.D. Captains G. E. O. F. Lambart, J. F. Badham, N.N.R., Mr. B. E. B. Shaw, Asst. Conservator of Forests, Mr. J. H. Hunt, Telegraph Inspector, Sergt. A. H. Godfrey, Sergeant Medical.

BURUTU:—30th August:—

Capt. J. F. S. Gordon, Mr. H. P. Frith, Assistant Residents.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 35.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 6TH SEPTEMBER, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 3rd September:—

Lieuts. J. F. Thomson, C. M. H. **Venour,** Sergt. Sparkes, N. N. R., Mr. C. W. **Dunnill,** Asst. Accountant, F. G. **Pratt, Assistant** Engineer, James Dooley, Inspector of **Works,** P. W. D., Mr. A. H. Hodges, Asst. **Treasurer,** Mr. J. A. Silcock, Asst. Resident, Dr. J. M. Dalziel, Medical Officer.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 3rd September:—

Dr. J. M. W. Pollard, Medical Officer.

LAGOS:— 4th September:—

Dr. E. C. Adams, Medical Officer.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 4th September:—

Miss E. M. Foster, NurseMedical, Dr. F. W. McCay, Medical Officer, Lieuts. E. **Austin,** H. N. Vinen, C. S. Field, Colour **Sergt. W. E.** King, N. N. R., Revd. G. P. **Bargery, Junior** Superintendent of Education, Capt. F. A. E. Godwin, Commissioner of Police, **Messrs A. D.** Hamlyn, M. J. D. Beresford, 3rd **Assistant** Secretaries, Mr. A. C. Shipway, **Telegraph** Inspector.

BURUTU; 5th September:—

Colour Sergeant F. Sinclair, N. N. R.

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Government Notices.

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Public Officers and Servants travelling on the Railway.

70*a*. Government Officials (and their servants) when travelling on the Railway on Government duty must be provided with Travelling Warrants which it is necessary to exchange for a Ticket at the Booking Office before proceeding on their journey.

70*b*. Any one travelling by rail on a Government warrant without a ticket, will be reported to the Colonial Secretary or the Chief Secretary, as the case may be, by the Railway Authorities and the amount of the fare surcharged against him.

70*c*. Attention is at the same time called to the fact that such warrants cover only a single and not a return journey. In cases where an Officer has to make a double journey, therefore, he should be furnished with two Warrants, *i.e.*, one for the journey in each direction.

70*d*. The following Regulations as to the class of accommodation to be provided for European officers and their servants and the charges therefor have received the approval of Government. These Regulations do not apply to the Boat Train Service which is a limited one; nor to members of the Native Staff, the accommodation for whom is regulated by General Order 803. In all cases the provision of accommodation is subject to the exigencies of the Railway service, and should be always requisitioned two days in advance.

70*e*. Reserved saloons will be provided for Their Honours the Chief Justices of Southern and Northern Nigeria;

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, Southern Nigeria;

The Chief Secretary to Goverment, Northern Nigeria;

The Inspector-General, West African Frontier Force.

The charge* levied will be according to the last published cost (as stated in the General Manager's Annual Report) of the haulage of a vehicle per mile.

70*f*. Reserved first class compartments by passenger or "mixed" train will be provided for the following Officers of Government whenever possible:—

Judges of the Supreme Court.
The Attorney-General.
The Solicitor General.
The Financial Commissioner.
The Principal Medical Officer.
Provincial Commissioners.
Residents in Charge of Provinces.
The Commandant and Officers Commanding Battalions of the West African Frontier Force.
Director of Marine.
Director of Public Works.
Comptroller of Customs.

The charge, for which a warrant must be issued, will be 4 first class fares per reserved compartment.

70*g*. Reserved accommodation as above, or such accommdation attched to a goods train as the Railway Authorities may be able to supply, will be provided for the following officers, whose duties necessitate special arrangements:—

* The charge in each case represents a book transaction only.

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The Inspector-General of Police or any officer deputed by him.

The Senior Sanitary Officer.

The Auditor.

The Director of Telegraphs.

The charge will be as in paragraph 70*f*. unless the Officer is travelling on Railway service in which case no charges will be levied.

70*h*. Other officers will be granted tickets of the class corresponding to that of the steamship passage ticket to which their appointments entitle them. When long journeys are undertaken, however, or special circumtances arise, such further accommodation as may be possible may be provided on the request of the Chief Secretary or Colonial Secretary.

70*i*. For any accommodation called for other than that indicated above, full tariff rates will be charged.

70*j*. For baggage, other than that carried in reserved saloons or compartments, the charge will be at 1st class goods rates, less the free allowance granted in the Coaching Tariff per 1st class ticket held.

70*k*. The number of servants (including orderlies) who may accompany an officer and the charges to be made for them are as follows:—

For Officers entitled to reserved accommodation as in General Order 70*e* six 3rd class fares.

For Officers entitled to reserved accommodation as in General Orders 70*f* and *g* three 3rd class fares.

For other officers travelling as in General Order 70*h* two third class fares.

All servants' fares in excess of the numbers indicated will be paid for by the officer travelling, at ordinary 3rd class rates, and will not be covered by a Government Warrant.

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CIRCULAR

Downing Street,
6th August, 1913.

Sir,

With reference to my Circular despatch of the 10th of February last, respecting the effect on the position of military officers of their acceptance of appointments under Colonial Governments, I have the honour to inform you that, since the decision of the Army Council was communicated to this Department, they have had before them the case of a new class of officers holding commissions in the General Reserve of Officers, viz, ex-cadets of the Officers Training Corps who have been appointed as officers of the General Reserve in virtue of their former services in that Corps.

2. The Army Council state that, as such officers have never exercised command as officers, it would not be reasonable to permit them to retain their commissions unless they are readily available on mobilization, since, if mobilization took place, their presence would immediately be required at home with a view to their undergoing the training necessary to fit them to exercise command efficiently.

3. In these circumstances, it is essential that any such officer, on accepting employment under a Colonial or Protectorate Government, in whatever capacity, should immediately resign his commission in the General Reserve of Officers.

4. The ruling conveyed to you in the last paragraph of the Circular of 10th February last will not, therefore, apply to this particular class of officer.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient, humble servant,
L. HARCOURT.

The Officer Administering
the Government of
Northern Nigeria.

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Native Courts.

WARRANTS establishing Native Courts under the Native Courts Proclamation, with the approval of the Governor, under the Seal of the Protectorate, have been issued as under:—

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	Date of Warrant.
Zaria	"A"	Alkali's Court of Zaria.	21st Aug. 1913.
"	"C"	Alkali's Court of Zungon Katab	"
"	"D"	Alkali's Court of Kaduna.	"
"	"	Alkali's Court of Fatika.	"
"	"	Alkali's Court of Rigachikum.	"
"	"	Alkali's Court of Damo.	"
"	"	Alkali's Court of Auchang.	"
"	"	Alkali's Court of Kachia.	"
"	"	Alkali's Court of Soba.	"
Nassarawa	"	Judicial Council of Toto.	19th Aug 1913.
Kano	"B"	Alkali's Court of Dambam.	21st Aug. 1913.
Do.	"	Alkali's Court of Jemaari.	"
Niger.	"C"	Alikali's Court of Birnin Gwari.	6th Sept. 1913.

The Warrants establishing the following Courts are cancelled:—

KANO PROVINCE.

Alkali's Court of Jemaari "C" Grade dated 14th December 1907.

ZARIA PROVINCE.

Alkali's Court of Zaria "A" Grade dated 25th May 1910,

Alkali's Court of Zungon Katab "C" Grade dated 25th May 1910,

Alkali's Court of Kachia "D" Grade dated 25th May 1910,

Alkali's Court of Fatika "D" Grade dated 1st June 1910,

Alkali's Court of Soba "D" Grade dated 1st June 1910,

Alkali's Court of Auchang "D" Grade dated 1st June 1910,

Alkali's Court of Kaduna "D" Grade dated 1st February 1913,

Alkali's Court of Rigachikum "D" Grade dated 1st February 1913,

Alkali's Court of Nassari "D" Grade dated 13th February 1913.

NIGER PROVINCE.

Alkali's Court of Birnin Gwari "C" Grade dated 25th September 1912 is cancelled.

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THE following additional list of Licensed Surveyors is published for general information:

L. W. C. Gwyn
R. A. Wade
J. S. Rowe
Leonard Hawkey
H. H. W. Boyes
R. C. N. Twite
Charles F Garratt
F. H. B. Leggett
Stanley Pearson
Bertram W. Hippisley
T. Rumser Hamber
F. B. Kenny
S. E. Birch
George Stewart Paterson
D. Thomas
W. G. Collins
James Scott
B. M. Withard
G. S. Collins

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Indian Civil Service Examination.

PAPERS relating to the examination for the Indian Civil Service, to be held in August 1914 have been received, and may seen on application to the Chief Secretary's Office.

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A COPY of a memorandum showing the campaigns and special periods selected for the examinations in military subjects to be held in October 1913, March and October 1914, 1915 and 1916, and March 1917 has been received and may be seen on application at the Chief Secretary's Office.

562

Extracts from London Gazette.

THE following extract from the London Gazette dated 8th August, 1913, is published for information:—

UNATTACHED LIST FOR THE TERRITORIAL FORCE.

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Thomas Guy Beeton (late Colour-Sergeant, Irish Guards) to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1913.

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THE following extract from the London Gazette dated 19th August, 1913, is published for information:—

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Downing Street,
16th August, 1913.

The King has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Fitzmaurice Manning, Esquire (Deputy Principal Medical Officer) to be Principal Medical Officer, Northern Nigeria.

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Examination of Officers for Promotion.

IT is notified for information that at the Examination for Promotion held at stations abroad in May, 1913, the undermentioned officer passed in subjects (*e*) and (*j*). (Already passed in (*d*):—

Lieut. D'A. Willoughby-Osborne, Royal Artillery, and Artillery, N. N. Regt.

At the Examination held at KADUNA on the 12th, 13th, and 14th September, 1913, in subject (*c*), the undermentioned officers passed:—

For promotion to the rank of Major:—

Captain R. G. Coles, Suffolk Regiment, and 1st Bn., N. N. Regt.

For promotion to the rank of Captain:—

Lieut C. P. L. Marwood, Royal Warwickshire Regiment, and 1st Bn., N. N. Regt.

Lieut. A. P. Garnier, Northumberland Fusiliers, and 1s. Bn. N. N. Regt.,

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565 **Tide Pole Return Niger River.**

FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST, 1913.

Station.	Baro.		Lokoja.					
Week ending.	Rise.	Fall.	Rise	Fall	Rise	Fall	Rise	Fall
Readings on :—	ft. in.	ft. in	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.
7th ...	... 8	... 7	... 7	... 1	...	...	...	...
14th ...	... 1 8	... 10	... 8	... 3	...	...	...	...
21st ...	... 3 1	... 3	1 6	Nil.	...	...	...	...
28th ...	... 1 8	Nil.	2 4	Nil.	...	...	...	...
29th, 30th 31st.	... 1 1	Nil.	1 0	Nil.	...	...	...	...
Total ...	8 6 1	8	6 1	... 4	...	...	...	...
Total Rise in previous month.	4 10		6 4					

566 **Obituary.**

THE Deputy Governor announces with deep regret that Mr. R. C. Corfield, late Assistant Resident, Political Department, has been killed in an encounter between the Somaliland Camel Corps and a Dervish Force in the neighbourhood of Burao.

567 **Errata.**

Notice No. 464 Gazette No. 15 of 1913, the date of acting appointment of Messrs W. Hudson and G. F. Mason is 19th July 1913, and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 465 Gazette No. 15 of 1913, the date of termination of acting appointment of Mr. G. F. Mason is 18th July 1913, and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 470 Gazette No. 15 of 1913, the date of departure from Lagos of Mr. J. S. Wilson, 1st Class Clerk Political and Administrative, is 10th July 1913 and not as stated therein.

In notice No. 523 Gazette No. 17 of 1913, for Cantonment Magistrate Lokoja as Provisional Administrator read Mr. A. Coombe the District Agent of the Niger Company at Lokoja.

Notice No. 539 Gazette No. 17 of 1913, the Office of Mr. E. W. Quartey is Inspector 1st Grade Police and not as stated therein.

By His Excellency's Command,
H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
30th September, 1913.

568 **Post Office Notice.**

THE importation into Sierra Leone of the following articles by Letter Post is now prohibited :—

(1) Coin.
(2) Articles liable to Customs Duties.
(3) Gold and Silver, Precious Stones, Jewellery and other precious articles.

Packets found to contain articles contravening this regulation will be liable to confiscation.

Particulars of articles liable to Customs Duties in Sierra Leone may be obtained on application to the Postmaster-General Zungeru.

W. HUDSON,
Actg. Postmaster-General.

569 **JUDICIAL NOTICE.**

In the matter of the Estate of the late Mr. Walter Wethered, (Deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late Mr. Walter Wethered, deceased, who died at Naraguta in the Central Province on the 2nd day of July 1913, intestate, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned or to Mr. John M. Iles the Provisional Administrator at Naraguta in the said Province on or before the 30th day of November 1913, after which date I shall proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said deceased among parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received.

And all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make payment forthwith.

Dated at Zungeru this 11th day of September 1913.

C. D. NELSON,
Official Administrator.

The Supreme Court Registry,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria.

Commissions.

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The following Commissions have been issued :—

Name.	Appointment.	Nature of Commission.	Province.	Period.	Date of Commission.
Dr. M. F. Ellis ...	Medical Officer ...	Justice of the Peace ...	Niger	Whilst acting as a Sub-Accountant at Jebba.	1st Sept. 1913.
Mr. H. Bovill ...	Assistant Resident ...	To exercise the Judicial Powers of an Assistant Resident in charge of a Division	Kano.	—	10th Sept. 1913.

Appointments and Assumption of Duty.

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Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. William Samuel Pratt ...	Clerical Assistant ...	Public Works ...	25th July 1913 ...	Engaged locally.
Mr. Napoleon Gladstone Ashwood	Learner	Chief Secretary's	1st Aug. " ...	do.
Musa ...	Interpreter ...	Political & Administrative ...	1st April " ...	do.

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572 **Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Department.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. R. Gregson Williams ...	Mines	Government Inspector of Mines ...	20th November 1912.	
Mr. J. B. S. Henderson ...	do.	Asst. Government Inspector of Mines ...	1st December "	
Mr. R. A. Lloyd	Public Works	Executive Engineer	2nd August 1913.	
Mr. C. A. Woodhouse	Political and Administrative	Resident Bassa	16th August "	
Mr. B. E. B. Shaw	Forestry	Director of Agriculture	2nd Sept. "	
Mr. W. B. Thomson	Political and Administrative	Resident Bornu	11th Sept. "	

573 **Termination of Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Acting Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Lieut. D. Greig	Asst. Government Inspector of Mines	Political and Admin. ...	14th March 1913.	
Mr. J. B. S. Henderson	Asst. Government Inspector of Mines	Mines	25th April 1913.	
Mr. R. Gregson Williams	Government Inspector of Mines ...	do.	do.	
Mr. R. A. Lloyd	Executive Engineer	Public Works ...	do.	
Mr. K. T. Rae	Director of Agriculture ...	Agriculture ...	1st Sept. "	

574 **Confirmation of Appointment.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
Mr. H. J. Miller-Stirling	Assistant Resident	Political & Administrative ...	30th March 1910.	

575 **Promotion.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Awdu Kiri	Interpreter	Political Agent	Pol. & Administrative ...	1st April 1913.

576 **Resignations.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Awndu Mozum	Interpreter	Police	1st September 1913.	
Mr. J. H. Asmah	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	31st August 1913.	

577 **Permanent Staff.**

The following Native Officials, having completed three years service are placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the dates stated against their names :—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. G. A. Williams	1st Class Compositor	Printing	1st June 1901.	
Mr. W. R. Sampson	2nd Class Clerk	Political & Administrative ...	30th June 1910.	

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578 **Transfer.**

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Dr. J. W. Scott Macfie ...	Medical Officer	Southern Nigeria ... (Medical Research Institute.)	Acting Assistant Bacteriologist ...	12th March 1913.

579 **Dismissal.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF. Mr. J. E. Farmer	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs	21st April 1913.

580 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the Provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Standard.	Date of pass.
NATIVE STAFF. Mr. I. S. Pratt	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative ...	Colloquial Test ...	27th August 1913.
Mr. H. B. Roberts	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	do.	2nd Sept. „

581 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months.	Days.	Months.	Days.			
Capt. A. S. Lawrence ...	Assistant Resident	— ...	40 ...	— ...	— ...	—	18th Sept. '13.	Full salary.
Lance Corporal J. F. Fleming	Cartographer, Surveys	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. R. G Bracken ...	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	25th Sept. '13.	do.
Invalided.								
Mr. C. S. Burnett ..	Assistant Resident	— ...	40 ...	— ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
NATIVE STAFF. Mr. H. A. Paris	1st Class Clerk & Operator ...	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	—	Full salary Lagos, left Zungeru 28th August 1913.
Mr. L. V. B. Hesse ...	2nd Class Clerk Political & Administrative	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	28th Aug. 1913.	Full salary Accra.

582 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Mr. M. J. D. Beresford ...	3rd Assistant Secretary ...	2 weeks	6th Aug. 1913	19th Aug. 1913	Half salary. Ill-health.
Sergt. E. A. Lane, R.A.M.C. ...	Sergeant Medical	1 month ...	10th Sept. „	9th Oct. „	do.
Dr. K. McGahey ...	Medical Officer	1 month & 12 days ...	4th Sept. „	15th Oct. „	do.
Mr. S. M. Grier ...	3rd Class Resident	1 month ...	9th Oct. „	8th Nov. „	Without salary. Urgent private affairs.

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583 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Mr. A. S. Evans	Inspector of Works, 2nd Grade ...	Public Works	13th September 1913.	
Mr. A. H. Hodges	Assistant Treasurer	Treasury	19th September „	
Mr. J. A. Silcock	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Dr. J. M. Dalziel	Medical Officer	Medical	do.	
Mr. F. G. Pratt	Assistant Engineer	Public Works	do.	
Mr. James Dooley	Inspector of Works, 1st Grade ...	do.	do.	
Mr. C. W. Dunnill	Assistant Accountant	do.	21st September „	
Dr. W. H. A. Gordon-Hall ...	Senior Medical Officer	Medical	25th September „	
Mr. W. D. K. Mair	Assistant Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Mr. H. F. C. Holme	do.	do.	do.	
Mr. F. E. Maltby	do.	do.	do.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. W. S. Broderick	Assistant Chief Clerk	Chief Secretary's	4th September 1913.	
Mr. J. W. Smith	1st Class Clerk	do.	do.	
Mr. S. J. Ejofo	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	11th September 1913	

584 **Retirement.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Dr. J. P. Fagan	Principal Medical Officer	Medical	8th October 1913.	Retired on pension.

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585 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Lieutenant Lionel Carrington Bostock, Manchester Regiment	Company Officer ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	27th Aug. 1913 ...	12th Sept. 1913.
Lieutenant John Ferguson Thomson, Prince of Wale's (North Staffordshire Regiment)	do.	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	3rd Sept. „	21st Sept. „

586 **Acting Appointment.**

Rank and Name.	Unit.	To act as.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Captain & Quartermaster J. M. Simpson ...	1st Bn. N. N. Regt.	Staff Quartermaster, N. N. Regt.	10th September 1913.	

587 **Promotions.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	With effect from.
BRITISH N.C.O's.			
Quartermaster Sergeant B. N. Ingham	Quartermaster Sergeant, M.I., N.N.Regt.	Sergeant Major	8th September 1913.
Colour Sergeant C. H. Gosling	Colour Sergeant, do. ...	Quartermaster Sergeant	do.
Sergeant D. Taylor	1st Rating Sergeant, do. ...	Colour Sergeant	do.
Sergeant A. Blackall	2nd Rating Sergeant, do. ...	1st Rating Sergeant	do.

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588 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Lieut. A. G. C. Colquhoun ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	18th Sept. 1913	Full salary.
BRITISH N. C. Os.								
Qrmr. Sergt. C. H. Gosling ...	M. I., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	do. ...	do.
Armourer A. T. Collins ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	24th Sept. 1913	— ...	do.

589 **Resumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Lieutenant C. M. H. Venour	Company Officer	1st Bn. N .N. Regt.	19th Sept. 1913.
Lieutenant T. G. Beeton	Quartermaster	2nd Bn. N. N. Regt.	25th Sept. „

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590 **Transfer.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
BRITISH N. C. O. Sergeant J. W. Reid	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	M. I., N. N. Regt. ...	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	8th September 1913.

591 **Hausa Examination.**

Under the provisions of G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Lieut. H. D. S. O'Brien ...	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	Colloquial Test ...	8th September 1913.

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592 **Statement of Assets and Liabilities on 31st March 1913.**

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Deposits due by the Protectorate	43,900	14	6
Deposit Account N. N Native Reserve Funds ...	27,398	7	10
(including £27,098 7 10 per contra) ...			
Deposit Account Public Officers Guarantee Fund	2,472	17	10
(including £1,000 per contra) ...			
Combined Departments Account	6,913	19	5
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	183,437	4	7
	264,123	4	2
SURPLUS AND			
Expenditure Account 1913	129,876	9	9
Excess of Assets over Liabilities, as above	183,437	4	7
	313,313	14	4

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Cash Balance in the hands of Treasurer				
and Local Sub-Accountants	£130,183 12 1			
Do. Crown Agents ...	58,853 4 11	189,036	17	0
Advances due by Baro-Kano Railway Construction ...		616	3	4
Do. (Sundry) due to the Protectorate ...		7,724	11	9
Drafts and Remittances in transit		18,819	3	10
Imprests Account		833	10	1
Revenue Suspense Account		1,688	15	4
Unallocated Stores Suspense Account		17,305	15	0
Investments Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds ...		27,098	7	10
Investments Public Officers Guarantee Fund		1,000	0	0
		264,123	4	2
DEFICIT ACCOUNT.				
Asset Balance 31st December 1912		143,137	7	2
Revenue Account 1913		170,176	7	2
		313,313	14	4

T. B. PHILLIPS,
Acting Treasurer.

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SUPPLEMENT TO

The Official Gazette.

No. 18 of 1913.

NEWS CIRCULAR No. 36.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 12TH SEPTEMBER, 1913

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 10th September:—

Dr. W. H. A. Gordon Hall, Senior Medical Officer, Messrs. W. D. K. Mair, H. F. C. Holme F. E. Maltby, Assistant Residents, Lieut. T. G. Beeton, N. N. Regt.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 10th September:—

Miss E. Moorehead, Nurse, Medical.

LAGOS:— 11th September:—

Proposed.

Mr. L. P. Hewby, C.M.G., 1st Class Resident Capt. T. S. Wickham, D.S.O., Lieut. J. Bremner, N. N. R., Mr. F. F. Hopkins, 1st Assistant Secretary, Mr. G. O. Nugent, 2nd Assistant Secretary, Dr. W. I. Taylor, Senior Medical Officer, Miss E. M. Deering, Nurse, Medical.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 12th September:—

Lieut. L C. Bostock, N. N. R.,

BURUTU; 13th September:—

Mr. A. S. Evans, Inspector of Works, P. W. D.

POSTINGS:— Mair Ilorin, Maltby Muri, Holme Niger.

NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 37.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 20TH SEPTEMBER, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 17th September:—

Miss. V. I. Shirtliff, Nurse, Medical, Mr. E. C. H. Walker, Asst. Engineer. P. W. D. Mr. W. Nash, Confidential Clerk, Chief Secretary's Office, Captains R. W. Fox, H. W. Green, Colour Sergeant A. M. Jarvis, N. N. R, Sergt W. Ross. Sergeant Medical, Mr. H. S. W. Edwardes, 3rd Class Resident, Messrs. G. L. Monk, E. S Pembleton, Asst. Residents, Mr. J. M. M. Dunlop, Attorney General.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 17th September:—

Nil.

LAGOS; 18th September:—

Capt. A. S. Lawrance, Asst. Resident, Lieut. A. G. C. Colquhoun, Quartermaster Sergt. C. H. Gosling, N. N. R., L/C. J. F. Fleming, Cartographer Surveys.

ARRIVALS:— LAGOS, 19th September:—

Lieut. C. M. H. Venour, Sergt. F. Sparkes, N. N. R., Mr. A. H. Hodges, Asst. Treasurer, Mr. J. A. Silcock, Asst. Resident, Dr. J. M. Dalziel, Medical Officer, Messrs. F. G. Pratt, Asst Engineer, J. Dooley, Inspector of Works (1st Grade) P. W. D.

BURUTU:—21st September:—

Lieut. J. F. Thomson, N. N. R., Mr. C. W. Dunnill, Asst. Acct. P. W. D.

POSTINGS:— Monk Niger, Pembleton Kano, Edwardes Ilorin.

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Government Notices.

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Auction of Plots at Kano.

NOTICE is hereby given that European Residential and Trading plots at Kano, will be auctioned at Kano on Monday the 10th day of November next.

It is further notified that on the same date certain plots at Kano allocated to non-Europeans and non-Natives will also be auctioned.

Full particulars regarding the conditions, time, etc., of sale may be had on application to the Resident Kano.

596
Allowance of Proclamation.

THE Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies has been pleased to notify the Governor that His Majesty will not be advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the following:—

No. 9 of 1913, entitled "A Proclamation to amend the Forestry Proclamation."

597
Examination of Officers for Promotion.

AT the Examination held at Kaduna on the 2nd and 3rd May, 1913, in subject (*c*) for promotion to the rank of Captain, the undermentioned officer passed:—

Lieut. C. L. Waters, Royal Berkshire Regiment, and 1st Bn., N. N. Regt.

598
Extracts from London Gazette.

THE following extracts from the London Gazette are published for information:—

Gazette dated 25th March, 1913.

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INFANTRY.

The East Lancashire Regiment.

The undermentioned Lieutenant to be Captain. Dated 12th February, 1913.

Alfred C. Aubin, and to remain seconded.

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Gazette dated 6th May, 1913.

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INFANTRY.

The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)

The undermentioned Lieutenant to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated 2nd March, 1913:—

Francis C. Longbourne.

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Gazette dated 2nd September, 1913.

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MEMORANDA.

Second Lieutenant Osmund T. Frith, Royal Artillery, is granted the local rank of Lieutenant whilst employed with the West African Frontier Force. Dated 6th August, 1913.

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Northern Nigeria Gazette.

No. 17. **EXTRAORDINARY.**

Vol. XII. MONDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1913.

Government Notice.

PROCLAMATION No. 11. of 1913, "The Public Lands Acquisition Proclamation 1913" is published by direction of the Governor.

By His Excellency's Command,

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,

Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,

6th October, 1913.

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A PROCLAMATION.

Enacted by the Governor of Northern Nigeria.

L.S. F. D. LUGARD.

A PROCLAMATION to empower the Governor to acquire any freehold lands when required for public purposes.

WHEREAS certain lands in the Protectorate are held for an estate of freehold or for some similar interest therein, the title thereto or interest therein having been acquired before the date of the commencement of the Land and Native Rights Proclamation:

AND WHEREAS by virtue of sections 2 and 15 of the said Proclamation the validity of any such title or any such interest is not affected by the provisions of the said Proclamation:

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AND WHEREAS it is expedient that the Governor shall have power to acquire any lands which may be required for public purposes whether such lands be held under the provisions of the said Proclamation or not:

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Governor of Northern Nigeria as follows:—

Short title

1. This Proclamation may be cited as the Public Lands (Acquisition) Proclamation, 1913.

Definition.

2. In this Proclamation:

"For public purposes" shall mean for exclusive Government use or for general public use.

Lands required for public purposes may be acquired by the Governor.

3. It shall be lawful for the Governor to take and acquire, if required for public purposes, any lands or any part thereof, and all estates and interests in such lands of what kind soever, paying such reasonable compensation therefor as may be due to the owners thereof and all parties having interest therein.

Notices to be given when lands are required for public purposes.

4. Whenever the Governor resolves that any lands are required for public purposes, he shall give notice to the persons entitled to sell or interested in such lands, or such of them as shall after diligent enquiry be known (which notice may be in the Form A in the Schedule to this Proclamation or to the like effect). The notice shall require such parties to state the particulars and evidence of their estate and interest in such lands, and of the claims made by them in respect thereof, and shall express that the Governor is willing to treat for the purchase of such land.

Notice of intention to take; and power to take possession.

5. The Governor may by such notice aforesaid or by any subsequent notice direct the persons aforesaid to yield up possession of such lands after the expiration of the period specified in the notice, which period shall not be less than six weeks from the service of such notice.

At the expiration of such period the Governor and all persons employed by him shall be entitled to enter into and take possession of such lands accordingly.

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Service of notices.

6. (1.) Every such notice as aforesaid shall either be served personally on the persons holding any estate or interest in any lands named in such notice or left at their last usual place of abode or business, if any such place can after reasonable enquiry be found, and in case any such parties shall be absent from the Protectorate, or if such parties or their last usual place of abode or business after reasonable enquiry cannot be found, such notice shall be left with the occupier of such lands, or if there be no such occupier shall be affixed on some conspicuous part of such lands.

(2.) If any such person be a corporation, company, or firm such notice shall be left at the principal office of such corporation, company, or firm in the Protectorate, or if no such office can after reasonable enquiry be found, shall be served upon some officer, if any, or trading agent, if any, of such corporation, company, or firm in the Protectorate.

(3.) All notices served under the provisions of this Proclamation shall be inserted once at least in the Gazette.

Disputes as to compensation and title to be settled by Supreme Court.

7. If for six weeks after the service and publication as aforesaid of such notice, no claim shall be lodged with the Chief Secretary in respect of such lands, or if the party who may have lodged any claim, and the Governor shall not agree as to the amount of the compensation to be paid for the interest in such lands or the buildings thereon belonging to such party, or if such party has not given satisfactory evidence of his alleged interest, or if separate and conflicting claims are made in respect of the same lands, the amount of compensation due, if any, and every such case of disputed interest or title shall be settled by the Supreme Court, which shall have jurisdiction to hear and finally determine in all cases mentioned in this section upon a summons taken out by the Attorney General, or any person holding or claiming any estate or interest in any lands named in any notice aforesaid.

Party not to be compelled to sell or convey part of a house.

8. No party shall at any time be required to sell or convey to the Governor a part only of any house or other building if such party be willing and able to sell and convey the whole thereof.

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Report of Government officers as to value to be evidence.

9. The written report of any surveyor in the service of the Government, or of any officer of the Public Works, Lands, Survey, or Railway Department, as to the value of the lands or of any buildings thereon shall be evidence thereof.

Any party having an interest in such lands may call such surveyor or other officer as witness, and may also adduce any other evidence of value.

The report of such surveyor or other officer may be proved by a copy thereof under his hand.

Proof of the signature of such copy shall not be required, unless the Court sees reason to doubt the genuineness thereof.

Compensation to be assessed according to value at time of service of notices.

10. In estimating the compensation to be given for any lands or any estate or interest therein or for any mesne profits thereof the Supreme Court shall assess the same according to what it shall find to have been the value of such lands, estate or interest or profits at the time when the Governor served notices to acquire the same, and without regard to any improvements or works made or constructed thereafter on the said lands by the Government.

Commencement.

11. This Proclamation shall commence and come into operation on the 6th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Protectorate of NORTHERN NIGERIA this 3rd day of October in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

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THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the Proclamation which has been approved by the Governor and found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Proclamation.

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

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SCHEDULE.

FORM A.

The Public Lands (Acquisition) Proclamation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following lands (*describe lands, giving measurements and showing boundaries wherever practicable*) are required by the Governor for public purposes absolutely.

Any person claiming to have any right or interest in the said lands is required within six weeks from the date of this notice to send to the Chief Secretary a statement of his right and interest and of the evidence thereof, and of any claim made by him in respect of such right or interest. The Governor is willing to treat for the acquisition of the said lands.

And Notice is also hereby given that the Governor intends to enter into possession of the said lands at the expiration of weeks from the date of this notice.

The day of 19

Governor.

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F. D. LUGARD,
Governor.

By His Excellency Sir Frederick John Dealtry Lugard, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria, &c., &c., &c.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME GREETING.

KNOW YE that by virtue of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf, I, Sir Frederick John Dealtry Lugard, Knight Grand Cross of the most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, reposing especial trust and confidence in the loyalty, integrity and ability of James Marcus Muntz Dunlop, Esquire, Bachelor of Arts, Doctor of Laws, Attorney General of Northern Nigeria, have nominated and appointed and by these presents do nominate and appoint the said James Marcus Muntz Dunlop to act as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of

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Northern Nigeria from the date of these presents until further order, and to exercise jurisdiction in the said Court accordingly.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Protectorate of Northern Nigeria at Government House, Lagos, this 9th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

By Command,

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
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NEWS CIRCULAR No. 36.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 12TH SEPTEMBER, 1913

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 10th September:—

Dr. W. H. A. Gordon Hall, Senior Medical Officer, Messrs. W. D. K. Mair, H. F. C. Holme F. E. Maltby, Assistant Residents, Lieut. T. G. Beeton, N. N. Regt.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 10th September:—

Miss E. Moorehead, Nurse, Medical.

LAGOS:— 11th September:—

Proposed.

Mr. L. P. Hewby, C.M.G., 1st Class Resident Capt. T. S. Wickham, D.S.O., Lieut. J. Bremner, N. N. R., Mr. F. F. Hopkins, 1st Assistant Secretary, Mr. G. O. Nugent, 2nd Assistant Secretary, Dr. W. I. Taylor, Senior Medical Officer, Miss E. M. Deering, Nurse, Medical.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 12th September:—

Lieut. L C. Bostock, N. N. R.,

BURUTU; 13th September:—

Mr. A. S. Evans, Inspector of Works, P. W. D.

POSTINGS:— Mair Ilorin, Maltby Muri, Holme Niger.

NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 37.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 20TH SEPTEMBER, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 17th September:—

Miss. V. I. Shirtliff, Nurse, Medical, Mr. E. C. H. Walker, Asst. Engineer. P. W. D. Mr. W. Nash, Confidential Clerk, Chief Secretary's Office, Captains R. W. Fox, H. W. Green, Colour Sergeant A. M. Jarvis, N. N. R, Sergt W. Ross. Sergeant Medical, Mr. H. S. W. Edwardes, 3rd Class Resident, Messrs. G. L. Monk, E. S Pembleton, Asst. Residents, Mr. J. M. M. Dunlop, Attorney General.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 17th September:—

Nil.

LAGOS; 18th September:—

Capt. A. S. Lawrance, Asst. Resident, Lieut. A. G. C. Colquhoun, Quartermaster Sergt. C. H. Gosling, N. N. R., L/C. J. F. Fleming, Cartographer Surveys.

ARRIVALS:— LAGOS, 19th September:—

Lieut. C. M. H. Venour, Sergt. F. Sparkes, N. N. R., Mr. A. H. Hodges, Asst. Treasurer, Mr. J. A. Silcock, Asst. Resident, Dr. J. M. Dalziel, Medical Officer, Messrs. F. G. Pratt, Asst Engineer, J. Dooley, Inspector of Works (1st Grade) P. W. D.

BURUTU:—21st September:—

Lieut. J. F. Thomson, N. N. R., Mr. C. W. Dunnill, Asst. Acct. P. W. D.

POSTINGS:— Monk Niger, Pembleton Kano, Edwardes Ilorin.

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Government Notices.

595
Auction of Plots at Kano.

NOTICE is hereby given that European Residential and Trading plots at Kano, will be auctioned at Kano on Monday the 10th day of November next.

It is further notified that on the same date certain plots at Kano allocated to non-Europeans and non-Natives will also be auctioned.

Full particulars regarding the conditions, time, etc., of sale may be had on application to the Resident Kano.

596
Allowance of Proclamation.

THE Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies has been pleased to notify the Governor that His Majesty will not be advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the following:—

No. 9 of 1913, entitled "A Proclamation to amend the Forestry Proclamation."

597
Examination of Officers for Promotion.

AT the Examination held at Kaduna on the 2nd and 3rd May, 1913, in subject (*c*) for promotion to the rank of Captain, the undermentioned officer passed:—

Lieut. C. L. Waters, Royal Berkshire Regiment, and 1st Bn., N. N. Regt.

598
Extracts from London Gazette.

THE following extracts from the London Gazette are published for information:—

Gazette dated 25th March, 1913.

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INFANTRY.

The East Lancashire Regiment.

The undermentioned Lieutenant to be Captain. Dated 12th February, 1913.

Alfred C. Aubin, and to remain seconded.

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Gazette dated 6th May, 1913.

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INFANTRY.

The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)

The undermentioned Lieutenant to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated 2nd March, 1913:—

Francis C. Longbourne.

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Gazette dated 2nd September, 1913.

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MEMORANDA.

Second Lieutenant Osmund T. Frith, Royal Artillery, is granted the local rank of Lieutenant whilst employed with the West African Frontier Force. Dated 6th August, 1913.

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599 Rise and Fall of River Benue.

FOR MONTH ENDING JULY, 31ST 1913.

Date.	RIVER BENUE.			
	Ibi.		Abinsi.	
	Rise ins.	Fall ins.	Rise ins.	Fall ins.
1st to 6th	20½	1	29	—
Week ending 13th	17	3	13	—
do. 20th	18	1	14	7
do. 27th	17	12	24	14
28th to 31st	—	2	6	6

Total Net Rise 4ft. 5½ins. Net Rise 4ft. 11ins.

600 Rise and Fall of River Benue,

FOR MONTH ENDING AUGUST, 31ST 1913.

Date.	RIVER BENUE.			
	Ibi.		Abinsi.	
	Rise ins.	Fall ins.	Rise ins.	Fall ins.
1st to 3rd	6	6	8	—
Week ending 10th	31	—	26	7
do. 17th	16	—	14	1
do. 24th	7	—	6	4
do. 31st	21½	—	30	—

Total Net Rise 6ft. 3½ ins. Net Rise 6ft.

601 Errata.

Notice No. 81 Gazette No. 3 of 1913, the date of reabsorption of Captain J. Green, M.I., N. N. Regt., is 1st August, 1913, and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 197 Gazette No. 7 of 1913, the date of reabsorption of Captain A. W. C. Knox, 2nd Bn., N. N. Regt., is 16th April, 1913, and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 273 Gazette No. 9 of 1913, the date of reabsorption of Lieut. M. W. Graham, 1st Bn., N. N. Regt., is 7th July, 1913, and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 553 Gazette No. 17 of 1913 as far as it refers to Rate Circular No. 42 is hereby revoked.

Notice No. 577 Gazette No. 18 of 1913, the date of the placing on the Permanent Staff of Mr. G. A. Williams, is 1st of April 1902 and not as stated therein.

By His Excellency's Command,

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
15th October, 1913.

602 NATIVE COURTS.

THE following is a list of Native Court Warrants establishing Native Courts under Chapter LVI. (Proclamation No. 1 of 1906) Laws of Northern Nigeria, with the approval of the Governor under the seal of the Protectorate up to 31st December 1912.

This is to supersede Gazette Notice No. 143 of 31st March 1913.

Province.	Grade	Name of Court.	
1. Sokoto.	A	Sokoto	(Judicial Council)
	"	Gando	" "
	"	Argungu	" "
	"	Birnin Kebbi	" "
	"	Sokoto	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Birnin Kebbi	" "
	B	Tambawel	" "
	"	Dogondaji	" "
	"	Gumi	" "
	"	Bukwium	" "
	"	Bakura	" "
	"	Maradu	" "
	"	Zamfara	" "
	"	Isa	" "
	"	Bazai	" "
	"	Raha	" "
	"	Kalgo	" "
	"	Dakingari	" "
	"	Anka	" "
	"	Raba	" "
	"	Wurno	" "
	"	Yabo	" "
	"	Bodinga	" "
	"	Gedaba wa	" "
	"	Kebbi	" "
	"	Besse	" "
	"	Zogirma	" "
	"	Bunza	" "
	"	Giru	" "
	"	Bahindi	" "
	"	Zagga	" "
	"	Sabon Birni	" "
	"	Aliero	" "
	"	Badarawa	" "
	"	Bungudu	" "
	"	Kwarre	" "
	"	Saiyinna Daji	" "
	"	Goronyo	" "
	"	Salame	" "
	"	Jega	" "
	"	Argungu	" "
	"	Kwoterokoshi	" "
	"	Zurmi	" "
	"	Gusau	" "
	"	Tsafe	" "
	"	Illo	(Judicial Council)
	"	Gando Town and District	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Kwiambanna	" "
	"	Kaoje	" "
	"	Zuguleba	" "
	"	Sifawa	" "
	"	Kilgori	" "
	"	Denge	" "
	"	Talata Mafari	" "
	"	Gandi	" "
	"	Tureta	" "
	"	Jabo	" "
	"	Moriki	" "
	"	Maru	" "
	C	Fanna (Argungu Division	" "
	D	Binji	" "
	"	Kasua of Sokoto	" "

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NATIVE COURTS (Continued.)

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.
2. Kano.	A	Kano (Judicial Council)
	"	Katsina " "
	"	Katagum " "
	"	Daura " "
	"	Hadeija " "
	"	Kano (Alkali's Court)
	"	Hadeija " "
	"	Katagum " "
	"	Katsina " "
	"	Daura " "
	B	Messau " "
	"	Gummel " "
	"	Ingawa " "
	"	Kankia " "
	"	Mani " "
	"	Shira " "
	"	Garam " "
	"	Mashi " "
	"	Mallam-fashi " "
	"	Kazaure " "
	"	Kusada " "
	"	Karofi " "
	"	Musawa " "
	"	Karaye " "
	"	Damberta " "
	"	Dawaki " "
	"	Debbi " "
	"	Wodil " "
	"	Duchi " "
	"	Rano " "
	"	Gaiya " "
	"	Kura " "
	"	Jafun " "
	"	Fogolawa " "
	"	Ruma " "
	"	Messau (Judicial Council)
	"	Jamaari " "
	"	Dambam " "
	"	Kazaure " "
	"	Fawa (Alkali's Court)
	"	Yamel " "
	"	Cheronchi " "
	C	Jamaari " "
	"	Riruwei " "
	"	Maska " "
	"	Udubo " "
	"	Hardawa " "
	"	Gadau " "
	"	Chinade " "
	"	Azare " "
	"	Sokwa-in-Katagum " "
	"	Kaffin Hausa " "
	"	Birniwa " "
	"	Aditni " "
	"	Auyo " "
	"	Kogama " "
	"	Kano (Alkali Aminu) " "
	D	Gezawa Market " "
	"	Fogolawa " " "
	"	Kunya " " "
	"	Gabbasawa " " "
	"	Kabbo " " "
	"	Dumbulum " " "
	"	Rogo " " "
	"	Kura " " "
	"	Dal " " "
	"	Babara " " "

NATIVE COURTS (Continued.)

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.
Kano (Contd.)	D	Bunkuri Market (Alkali's Court)
	"	Mindawari (Kano) " " "
	"	Kurmi (Kano) " " "
	"	Somaila " " "
	"	Gerko " " "
	"	Karaye " " "
	"	Yankatsari " " "
	"	Mashi (Katsina) mkt. " "
	"	Kankia (Katsina) " " "
	"	Mani (Katsina) " " "
	"	Katsina " " "
	"	Kaita (Katsina) " "
	"	Babeji Market " "
	"	Musawa " " "
	"	Maska " " "
	"	Karofi " " "
	"	Dutsi " " "
	"	Ingawa " " "
	"	Kwana Yawa " " "
	"	Danberta " " "
	"	Dallaji " " "
	"	Dan Ja " " "
	"	Mallamfashi " " "
3. Bornu.	A	Shehuri (Judicial Council)
	B	Gujiba (Alkali's Court)
	"	Geidam " "
	C	Magumeri (Judicial Council)
	"	Bedde " "
	"	Mobber " "
	"	Fika " "
	"	Nguru " "
	"	Mungni (Alkali's Court)
	"	Marghi " "
	"	Mongonu " "
	"	Konduga " "
	D	Biu " "
4. Central (Bauchi)	A	Bauchi (Alkali's Court)
	"	Gombe " "
	C	Keffin Madaki " "
	"	Darazo " "
	"	Dukul " "
	"	Kirifi " "
	"	Fali " "
	"	Bula " "
	"	Nafada " "
	"	Tongo " "
	"	Ako " "
	"	Lemme " "
	"	Toro " "
	"	Naraguta " "
	D	Fusa " "
	"	Polche " "
	"	Wonu " "
	"	Lokpwondu " "
	"	Jarawa " "
	"	Leri " "
	"	Rauta " "
	"	Zungur " "

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NATIVE COURTS (Continued.)

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	
4. Central (Bauchi Contd.)	D	Duguri	(Judicial Council)
	"	Kanam	" "
	"	Ningi	" "
	"	Ari	" "
	"	Bura	" "
	"	Warji	" "
	"	Deo	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Mbarra	" "
	"	Bukuru	" "
	"	Top	" "
	"	Gurum	" "
5. Zaria.	A	Zaria	(Judicial Council)
	"	Zaria	(Alkali's Court)
	C	Zangon Kataba	" "
	"	Lere	" "
	D	Kachia	" "
	"	Fatika	" "
	"	Riga Chikum	" "
	"	Auchang	" "
	"	Soba	" "
	"	Zaria (Sabon Gari)	" "
6. Kontagora.	B	Kontagora	(Judicial Council)
	"	Kaiama	" "
	"	Boussa	" "
	"	Sakaba	" "
	"	Yelwa	(Alkali's Court)
	C	Kontagora	" "
	"	Kotonkoro	" "
	"	Rijau	(Judicial Council)
	"	Yelwa	" "
	D	Sakaba	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Boussa	" "
	"	Zuguma	" "
	"	Ilesha	" "
	"	Salika	(Judicial Council)
	"	Rijau	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Auna	" "
	"	N'Ghaski	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Bobi	" "
	"	Bena	" "
	"	Kunji	(Judicial Council)
	"	N'Caski	" "
	"	Tillo	" "
7. Niger.	A	Bida	(Judicial Council)
	"	Bida	(Alkali's Court)
	B	Lapai	(Emir's Court)
	"	Agaie	(Judicial Council)
	"	Kagara	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Lapai	" "
	"	Agaie	" "
	"	Minna	" "
	"	Galadima Kogo	(Judicial Council)
	C	Mureji	" "
	"	Wushishi	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Gidi	" "
	"	Katcha	(Judicial Council)
	"	Elegi	" "

NATIVE COURTS. (Continued.)

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	
7. Niger (Contd.)	C	Bungba	(Judicial Council)
	"	Jima	" "
	"	Wuya	" "
	"	Badegi	" "
	"	Gabi	" "
	"	Ewugi	" "
	"	Wachi	" "
	"	Gulu	" "
	"	Paiko	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Kuso Yabba	(Judicial Council)
	"	Ebbo	" "
	"	Sakka	" "
	"	Edzu	" "
	"	Zago	" "
	"	Esagi	" "
	"	Etsu Gaie	" "
	"	Sakpi	" "
	"	Egbako	" "
	"	Katuriko	" "
	"	Kontako	" "
	"	Mokwa	" "
	"	Kudu	" "
	"	Birnin Gwari	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Tuna	(Judicial Council)
	"	Kuta	" "
	"	Jebba	" "
	D	Guni	" "
	"	Fuka	" "
	"	Paiko (Gwari)	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Koriga	" "
8. Nassarawa.	B	Nassarawa	(Judicial Council)
	"	Keffi	" "
	"	Koton Kerifi	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Lafia	(Judicial Council)
	"	Jamaa-n-Darroro	" "
	C	Loko	(Judicial Council)
	"	Lafia	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Abuja	(Judicial Council)
	"	Keana	" "
	"	Doma	" "
	"	Umaisha	(Alkali's Court)
	D	Jamaa-n-Darroro	" "
	"	Kagerko	" "
	"	Abuja	" "
	"	Keffi	" "
9. Muri.	B	Muri	(Judicial Council)
	C	Ibi	" "
	"	Wukari	" "
	"	Wurrio	" "
	"	Muri	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Lau	" "
	"	Wase	" "
	"	Jalingo	" "
	"	Mutum Biu	" "
	"	Donga	" "
	"	Bantaji	" "
	D	Takum	" "
	"	Tshendam	(Judicial Council)
	"	Awe	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Gassol	" "
	"	Katsina Allah	(Judicial Council)
	"	Abinsi	" "
	"	Bakundi	(Alkali's Court)

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NATIVE COURTS. (Continued.)

Province.	Grade.	Name of Court.	
10. Yola.	A	Yola	(Alkali's Court)
	B	Giri	" "
	C	Song	" "
	"	Mao Faran	" "
	"	Ribado	" "
	"	Jimeta	" "
	"	Kilba	(Judicial Council)
	"	Uba	" "
	"	Shillem	" "
	"	Song	" "
	"	Goila	" "
	"	Fombina Mayo	(Alkali's Court)
	"	Numan	" "
11. Kabba.	C	Iddo	(Judicial Council)
	"	Okeni	" "
	"	Aworo	" "
	D	Kabba	" "
12. Bassa.	B	Ojoku	(Judicial Council)
	"	Idoma	" "
	"	Ankpa	" "
	"	Ogumi	" "
	C	Dekina	" "
	D	Agatu	" "
		Onifi	" "
13. Ilorin.	A	Ilorin	(Alkali's Court)
	B	Pateji	(Judicial Council)
	"	Offa	" "
	"	Shonga	" "
	"	Awtun	" "
	"	Omu	" "
	"	Ajassepo	" "
	"	Lafiagi	" "
	C	Isanlu	" "
	"	Igbadja	" "
	"	Oke Awra	" "
	"	Osi	" "
	"	Share	" "
	"	Lade	" "
	"	Padda	" "
	"	Oke Ode	" "
	"	Ajidungari	" "
	"	Afon	" "
	"	Lanwa	" "
	"	Malete and Districts	" "
	"	Oke Moru	" "
	D	Egbe	" "

603 **Appointments and Assumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
Miss Violet Irene Shirtliff	Nurse	Medical ...	17th Sept. 1913 ...	3rd Oct. 1913.
Mr. Edward Charles Heath Walker	Assistant Engineer	Public Works ...	do. ..	do.
Mr. Francis William Manford Burr	do.	do. ...	24th Sept. " ...	10th Oct. 1913.

604 **Acting Appointments.**

Name.	Department.	To act as	With effect from.	Remarks.
Dr. R. F. Williams ...	Medical	Senior Medical Officer ...	16th August 1913.	
Dr. F. W. McCay ...	do.	do. ...	10th September "	

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605 **Termination of Appointment.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. B. Brown	2nd Class Clerk	Mines	15th September 1913.	

606 **Transfer.**

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. W. P. Aryee	2nd Class Clerk, P.W.D.	Political and Administrative	2nd Class Clerk	20th Sept. 1913.

607 **Permanent Staff.**

The following Native Officials, having completed three years service are placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the dates stated against their names :—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. G. W. E. Manassah	2nd Class Clerk	Political & Administrative ...	20th July 1910.	
Mr. G. St. A. Hall	do.	Audit	1st September 1910.	

608 **Leave of Absence.**

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months.	Days.	Months.	Days.			
Mr. N. A. W. Hine ...	Assistant Auditor	— ...	50 ...	— ...	50 ...	1st Oct. 1913	—	Full salary.
Mr. H. Q. Glenny ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	do	—	do.
Dr. H. P. Lobb	Medical Officer	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	do	—	do.
Mr. J. H. C. Elder ...	3rd Class Resident	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	2nd Oct. '13	do.
Mr. G. J. Lethem ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Sergt. J Moore R.A.M.C. ...	Staff Sergeant Medical	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	8th Oct. 1913	—	do.
Sir. E. A. Speed, Kt. ...	Chief Justice	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	9th Oct. '13	do.
Mr. F. Le C. Belmar ...	Assistant Treasurer	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	12th Oct '13	do.

609 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Mr. N. M. Gepp ...	3rd Class Resident	2 weeks	3rd Dec. 1913	16th Dec. 1913	Full salary. To complete the Tropical African Services Course of Instruction.
Mr. H. S. W. Edwardes ...	do.	1 week ...	10th Sept. „	16th Sept. „	Without salary. Urgent private affairs.
Mr. James Dooley ...	Inspector of Works 1st grade P.W.D.	15 days ...	19th Aug. „	2nd Sept. „	do. do.
Mr. A. E. Goodwin ...	Asst. Keeper of Gaols ...	3 months ...	22nd July „	21st Oct. „	Half salary. Ill-health.

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610 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Mr. H. S. W. Edwardes ...	3rd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	3rd October 1913.	
Mr. G. L. Monk	Assistant Resident	do.	do.	
Mr. E S Pembleton	do.	do.	do.	
Mr. J. M. M. Dunlop	Attorney General	Legal and Judicial	do.	
Sergt. W. Ross, R.A.M.C. ...	Sergeant	Medical	do.	
Dr. B. A. Percival	Medical Officer	do.	10th October 1913.	
Dr. M Cameron Blair	Senior Sanitary Officer	Sanitation	do.	
Major H. D. Larymore, C.M.G. ...	2nd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	do.	
Mr. H. A. Prankerd	Assistant Resident	do.	do.	
Mr. H. H. Middleton	do.	do.	do.	
Mr. G. F. Price	Assistant Treasurer	Treasury	do.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. A. Odoi	1st Class Clerk	Public Works	13th September 1913	
Mr. G. A. Solomon	do.	Political and Administrative ...	25th September 1913.	

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

611 **Powers of Commanding Officer.**

Under the provisions of Proclamation No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter XVIII, section 40, the Acting Commandant, Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, has, with the concurrence of the Governor, conferred the Powers of Commanding Officer on the following Officers:—

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Whilst Commanding Detachment at	Date of Warrant.	Remarks.
Lieut. B. C. Parr	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Abinsi	10th September 1913.	
Captain A. B. Priestley ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	Birnin-Kebbi ...	17th " "	
Lieut. H. N. Vinen	do. do. ...	Ilorin	do.	
Lieut. A. F. Hordern	do. do. ...	Zuru	do.	
Lieut. E. B. Wesche	do. do. ...	Pankshin	23rd September 1913.	
Lieut. O. T. Frith	Artillery do. ...	Sokoto	24th " "	

612 **Promotions.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	With effect from.
Lieut. W. T. Wyllie	Company Officer, 2nd Bn., N. N. Regt ...	Adjutant	1st March 1913.
Captain O. Oakes	do. do. ...	Company Commander	29th June "
Lieut. W. T. McG. Bate	do. do. ...	do.	4th July "
Second Lieut. T. G. Beeton	(Formerly Quartermaster Sergeant Headquarters, N. N. Regt.)	Quartermaster	1st August "

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WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

Leave of Absence.

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LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Capt. A. C. Aubin ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	2nd Oct. 1913	Full salary.
Lieut. H. W. Symons ...	M. I., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	do. ...	do.

Extension of Leave.

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Rank and Name.	Unit.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Capt. F. Fairlie	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	One month & 21 days	22nd Aug. 1913	12th Oct. 1913	Ill-health. Army Rate.
Lieut. H. S. L. Scott ...	M. I., N. N. Regt.	One month ...	1st Sept. „	—	do. Half salary.

Resumption of Duty.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Captain R. W. Fox	Company Commander	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	3rd October 1913.
Captain H. W. Green	do.	1st Bn., N .N. Regt.	do.
BRITISH N. C. O. Colour Sergeant A. M. Jarvis	Colour Sergeant	M. I., N. N. Regt.	do.

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE

Re-absorption.

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Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of reabsorption into British Regiment.	Remarks.
BRITISH N.C.O Sergeant Major E. R. Slaney	Sergeant Major ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	9th October 1913.	

Hausa Examination.

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Under the provisions of G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Captain J. F. Badham	Company Commander ...	M. I., N. N. Regt.	Lower Standard Final ...	15th March 1913.
Lieut. A. G. C. Colquhoun ...	Company Officer	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	do. ...	13th September 1913.

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618 **Statement of Assets and**

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Deposits due by the Protectorate ..	51,099	3	9
Deposit Account N. N. Native Reserve Funds (including £27,398 7 10 per contra) ...	28,398	7	10
Deposit Account Public Officers Guarantee Fund (including £1,000 per contra) ...	2,507	12	0
Combined Departments	8,148	13	8
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	164,733	9	5
	254,887	6	8
SURPLUS AND			
Expenditure Account 1913	169,782	10	4
Excess of Assets over Liabilities as above	164,733	9	5
	334,515	19	9

Liabilities on 30th April 1913.

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Cash balance in the hands of Treasurer and Local Sub-Accountants	£ 88,240 11 8			
do. Crown Agents	44,575 6 5	132,815	18	1
Advances due by Baro-Kano Railway construction		616	3	4
do. (Sundry) due to the Protectorate		14,053	5	7
Remittances in transit		59,665	18	1
Imprests		853	10	7
Revenue Suspense Account		1,770	12	10
Unallocated Stores Suspense Account		16,713	10	4
Investments Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds ...		27,398	7	10
do. Public Officers Guarantee Fund		1,000	0	0
		254,887	6	8
DEFICIT ACCOUNT.				
Asset Balance 31st December 1912		143,137	7	2
Revenue Account 1913		191,678	12	7
		334,515	19	9

T. B. PHILLIPS,
Acting Treasurer.

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619 **Statement of Assets and**

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Deposits due by the Protectorate	62,069	16	5
Deposit Account N. N Native Reserve Funds ...	28,885	16	2
(including £27,885 16 2 per contra)			
Deposit Account Public Officers Guarantee Fund	2,524	4	1
(including £1,000 per contra) ...			
Combined Departments Account	8,594	16	11
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	121,881	14	0
	223,956	7	7

SURPLUS AND

Expenditure Account 1913	215,368	7	1
Excess of Assets over Liabilities, as above	121,881	14	0
	337,250	1	1

Liabilities on 31st May 1913.

Assets.			£	s.	d.
Cash Balance in the hands of Treasurer					
and Local Sub-Accountants	£91,453	17 0			
Do. Crown Agents ...	45,346	19 3	136,800	16	3
Advances due by Baro-Kano Railway Construction ...			616	3	4
Do. (Sundry) due to the Protectorate ...			15,137	1	10
Drafts and Remittances in transit			22,491	14	1
Imprests Account			824	7	7
Revenue Suspense Account			1,729	17	0
Unallocated Stores Suspense Account P.W.D.			17,470	11	4
Investments Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds ...			27,885	16	2
Investments Public Officers Guarantee Fund			1,000	0	0
			223,956	7	7

DEFICIT ACCOUNT.

Asset Balance 31st December 1912	143,137	7	2
Revenue Account 1913	194,112	13	11
	337,250	1	1

T. B. Phillips,
Acting Treasurer.

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620 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.** (Form A)

The attention of the Public is called to the following alterations and additions to the Railway Tariff as published on October 15th, 1912, which have been duly authorised by the Director of Railways and Works under Proclamation No. 9 of 1912 Section 2 of Northern Nigeria, and which are now published as detailed.

Alterations.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Remarks.	Date to have effect.
Page 113 of goods Tariff.	Tins, Empty See Empty Returns.	Tins (Returned Empties) See Empty Returns.	25	No alteration in rate. Textual alteration only.	1st March 1913
Page 77 of Goods Tariff.	Cocoanut Husks	Husks, see Cocoanut Fibre.	25	Ditto.	Ditto.

19th May, 1913.

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621 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.** (Form A)

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Alterations and Additions.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
Through Goods Rates between Serikin Pawa Station and Ocean Steamers and River Ports	——	Existing through rates and River rates not hitherto quoted in the Tariff extended to this station	14	15th Feb. 1913.
Page 119 of Goods Tariff	Lump sum wagon rates in bookings to Iddo	Insert (after this head line) "which may be used at the option of the sender"	15	

By Order,

F. H. Waller,
Acting General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
23rd July, 1913.

NOTICE. Form A.

622 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

THE attention of the Public is called to the following alterations and additions to the Railway Tariff as published on October 15th 1912, which have been duly made by the Acting General Manager under Proclamation No. 9 of 1912 Section 2 of Northern Nigeria, and which are now published as detailed.

Alterations and Additions.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
Page 22 of Goods Tariff.	Special Rates for Government Officials Baggage.	To be cancelled by Rate Circular No. 5 of 1912 (published in Southern Nigeria Gazette No. 86 of 24th December 1912 and Northern Nigeria Gazette No. 1 of 15th January 1913. The first class goods rate and free allowance apply to 1st, 2nd and 3rd class Government passengers.	38	16th Oct 1912.

26th July, 1913.

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623 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

The attention of the Public is called to the following addition to the Railway Tariff as published on October 15th 1912, which has been duly authorised by the Director of Railways and Works and approved by His Excellency the Governer under Proclamation No. 9 of 1912 Section 2 of Northern Nigeria, and which is now published as detailed, with effect from the 26th day of September 1913.

Addition.

The following clause shall be added on page 46 to the provision as follows.

"Cattle are charged for at the rate of 6d per wagon per mile, minimum £2,"

namely

"High sided bogie wagons will be charged at 9d per mile, minimum £3."

By Order,

F. H. Waller,
Acting General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
12th August 1913.

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NOTICE. Form B.

624 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

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Alterations and Additions.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
Page 66 of Goods Tariff.	Carbide of Calcium Double III Class.	Carbide of Calcium III Class subject to Regulations for dangerous goods (pages 52 to 61 of Goods Tariff.)	36	—

26th July 1913.

Form B.

625 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

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Alterations and Additions.

Page 45 of Goods Tariff.	—	Insert as Clause (*d*) after clause 35 (*c*) page 45 of the Goods Tariff, the following:— "(*d*). Consignments of undressed "skins or hides requiring the sole "use of a wagon or truck will be "subject to a minimum charge of "6 tons per wagon."	43	4th July 1913.
Page 92 of Classification of Goods in Goods Tariff.	Hides or Skins, undressed (*a*).	Hides or Skins undressed, (*a*) also see Clause 35 (*d*) page 45.	43	do.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
26th July, 1913.

By Order,
F. H. Waller,
Acting General Manager.

626 **NIGERIAN RAILWAY.**

Traffic Statement for the week ending 23rd August 1913.

Period	Coaching. Public.	Coaching. Govt.	Goods. Public.	Goods. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 23rd August 1913	1,982	279	8,160	1,360	18	28	11,827
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,945	223	6,117	1,396	21	3	9,705
Increase ...	37	56	2,043	—	—	25	2,122
Decrease ...	—	—	—	36	3	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	72,129	10,925	312,561	41,893	717	871	439,096
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	62,186	10,986	204,838	38,530	677	1,425	318,642
Increase ...	9,943	—	107,723	3,363	40	—	120,454
Decrease ...	—	61	—	—	—	554	—

Estimated Revenue for the year 1913 ... £543,000
Proportionate Estimate for period
1st January to 23rd August ... ... £349,603 Mileage Open 926
Amount actually realised ... ... £439,096 Mean Mileage Worked 926
Excess Earnings over Estimate ... .. £89,493 Average Receipts per mean mile £12·77.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Idda-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba-North to Iji 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 339 miles.	Zaria-Jengre 103 miles.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,529	143	472	117	2,261
Goods	6,157	45	2,870	448	9,520
Telegraph	14	—	2	2	18
Sundries	7	—	1	20	28
Total for Week	7,707	188	3,345	587	11,827
Total for current year	302,320	7,224	91,523	38,029	439,096
Corresponding period of 1912	249,661	11,634	49,151	8,196	318,642
Increase	52,659	—	42,372	29,833	120,454
Decrease	—	4,410	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	Total.	Tramway.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	246	931	183	—	1,360	For the Week 58
Total for current year ...	8,520	30,467	2,666	240	41,893	Total for current year 2,175
Corresponding period of 1912	5,133	23,449	1,827	8,121	38,530	Corresponding period of 1912 1,806
Increase ...	3,387	7,018	839	—	3,363	Increase 369
Decrease ...	—	—	—	7,881	—	Decrease —

Ebute Metta,
11th Sepember, 1913

A. Gibbons,
for Actg. Chief Accountant.

F. H. Waller,
Actg. General Manager

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 30th August, 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING.		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 30th August 1913	1,925	514	8,805	1,229	22	15	12,510
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,875	407	6,171	1,098	20	4	9,575
Increase ...	50	107	2,634	131	2	11	2,935
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	74,054	11,439	321,366	43,122	739	886	451,606
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	64,061	11,393	211,009	39,628	697	1,429	328,217
Increase ...	9,993	46	110,357	3,494	42	—	123,389
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	543	—

Estimated Revenue for the year 1913 ... £543,000
Proportionate Estimate for period
1st January to 30th August... ... £360,016
Amount actually realised £451,606
Excess Earnings over Estimate ... £91,590

Mileage Open 926
Mean Mileage Worked ... 926
Average Receipts per mean mile £13·51

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles	Jebba North to Baji 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles	Zaria-Jengre 103 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,641	187	503	108	2,439
Goods	6,962	398	2,258	416	10,034
Telegraph	13	1	5	3	22
Sundries	4	—	10	1	15
Total for Week	8,620	586	2,776	528	12,510
Total for current year	310,940	7,810	94,299	38,557	451,606
Corresponding period of 1912	256,835	12,072	50,585	8,725	328,217
Increase	54,105	—	43,714	29,832	123,389
Decrease	—	4,262	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	145	931	152	1	1,229	For the Week 54
Total for current year ...	8,665	31,398	2,818	241	43,122	Total for current year .. 2,229
Corresponding period of 1912	5,199	24,376	1,898	8,155	39,628	Corresponding period of 1912... 1,843
Increase ...	3,466	7,022	920	—	3,494	Increase ... 386
Decrease ...	—	—	—	7,914	—	Decrease .. —

Ebute Metta,
18th September, 1913.

A. GIBBONS,
for Acting Chief Accountant

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager.

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Monthly Meteorological Return.

PLACE OF OBSERVATION	TEMPERATURE. Highest in the Month.	Lowest in the Month.	Mean.	Greatest Diurnal Variation.	Mean relative Humidity at 9 a.m.	RAINFALL. Total.	Maximum on one day.	Daily average.	No. of days on which rainfall.	Prevailing Wind.	OBSERVER
AUGUST.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.			
Zungeru	91	65	78·2	22	84	10·39	2·15	·33	15	S.E.	Dr. Manning.
Lokoja	89	68	78·4	20	78	9·17	2·54	·30	16	S.W.	Dr. C. E. S. Watson.
Kano	97	68	81·3	27	68	5·36	·90	·17	15	S.W.	Dr. Porteous.
Yola	96	66	79·5	25	79	4·18	1·00	·13	13	W.	Dr. Willan.
Bauchi	90	64	76·7	20	74	8·91	1·38	·28	19	S.W.	Dr. Crichton.
Ilorin	93	67	77·6	25	81	10.96	3·64	·35	19	S.W.	Dr. Twomey.
Geidam	106	68	86·7	34	59	2.14	·62	·069	9	S.W.	Dr. Davies.
Maiduguri	104	68	84·7	29	61	5·19	2·50	0·16	11	S.W.	Dr. Swann.
Zaria	89	63	75·5	25	82	10·12	2·09	0.32	23	S.W.	Dr. Taylor.
Kontagora	90	65	77·0	22	76	9·51	1·50	·30	20	S.W.	Dr. Benson.
Katagum	103	70	84·5	30	60	3·61	1·01	·115	11	W.	Dr Beattie.
Sokoto	99	67	82·45	26	62	5·12	·71	·16	12	S.W.	Dr. Norman.
Wamba	93	65	76·1	26	82	14·95	2·38	·48	19	S.W.	Dr McKinney.
Nafada	100	66	82·7	28	72	4·64	0·87	0·15	15	S.W.	Dr. Lindsay.
Baro	97	70	81·7	27	78	5·24	1·15	·17	11	S.W.	Dr. Moiser.
Birnin Kebbi	98	67	81·5	26	68	4·80	1·20	·15	12	S.W.	Dr. Courtney.
Naraguta	86	54	70·1	29	63	10·00	1·30	·32	17	S.W.	Dr. Parsons.
Ibi	90	66	78·7	23	83	7·10	1·71	·23	14	S.W.	Dr. Cobb.
Ankpa	86	66	75·7	18	87	10·38	2·63	·33	25	S-W.	Capt. Bissell.
Kaduna	89	64	75·6	23	80	11·53	2·10	·37	23	S.W.	Dr. Williams.
Jebba	93	69	80·5	21	76	5·93	1·31	·19	18	S.W.	Dr. Ellis.
Offa	87	67	75·8	18	84	7·45	1·52	·24	17	S.	Dr. Wood.

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F. MANNING,
P. M. O.

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4. The next question is the organisation (*a*) for keeping the records of contributors and contributions, (*b*) for calculating the amounts of the pensions and their distribution between Colonies, (*c*) for keeping the statistics which will be required for subsequent actuarial revisions of the Pension Tables and (*d*) for paying the pensions to the widows and orphans. It is, I consider, very desirable that all this work should be centralized in one office, and I think that the office of the Crown Agents for the Colonies is the obvious organisation to undertake the work. The Crown Agents are established in this country, where nearly all the pensions will have to be paid; they have the experience of paying similar pensions in the case of the widows and orphans resident in Europe of officers of Eastern and West Indian Colonies with Widows' and Orphans' Pension systems, and they already act as agents for all the West African Governments in other matters. It has been ascertained that they will have no difficulty in undertaking the work. The cost of the administration of the scheme, which, following the general practice, is not allowed for in the Pension Tables, will comprise the Crown Agents' charges for staff, accommodation, stationery etc., and any special expenses in connection with the scheme such as fees for actuarial investigations and advice from time to time. These charges will have to be divided between the West African Administrations; and as the amount of work caused by each contributor will be normally about the same, the fairest and simplest way will I think be for the total cost of administration during any calender year except the first to be divided up in proportion to the total number of contributors in being belonging to each Colony or Protectorate during the previous year. The cost of administration during the first year might be divided approximately in proportion to the total number of European officers in the service in 1913 as shown by the Vital Statistics.

5. You will notice that it is proposed that the rate of contribution of an officer should not be a fixed proportion of his salary, as in the East and West Indian Widows' and Orphans' Pension Schemes, but should be a fixed annual amount so long as his salary falls within certain limits. This alteration will greatly simplify the accounting of the scheme and the calculation of the pensions. Under the older arrangement, the rate of contribution in the case of officers on salaries carrying annual increments alter almost every year; and as with every change in the rate of contribution a fresh rate of prospective pension has to be calculated and entered on the register, the amount of clerical work involved is considerable. Under the scheme now proposed the rate of contribution of an officer will usually remain the same for several years at a time.

6. The rates of contribution are based mainly on 5 per cent of the maximum salary of the scale on which the officer is serving. This of course is higher than in the East and West Indies, where the rate of contribution is 4 per cent of the actual salary; but this is only reasonable in view of the fact that on the whole West African salaries (especially in the subordinate ranks recruited from this country) are relatively higher than those paid for similar men in the East and

West Indies. It is moreover inevitable in order partially to compensate for the adverse factors governing the rates of pensions. The mortality of officers in West Africa is still considerably greater than in the East and West Indies, while their wives, since they mostly remain in the United Kingdom are probably subject to a lighter mortality rate than the wives of other Colonial Officers. Further the period of contribution in the case of West African officers is considerably less than in the case of the East and West Indian schemes, as contributions cease when the contributor is between 49 and 50 years of age in view of the earlier age of retirement for European Officers in West Africa.

7. In the scheme now under consideration special provision has been made (see paragraph 22 of the scheme) for officers serving on temporary agreements and for officers on the pensionable establishment who are not yet of pensionable standing. In the East and West Indian schemes the former class are excluded altogether from becoming contributors. In the case of West Africa, however, no Widows' and Orphans' Pension scheme could be regarded as satisfactory, either from the point of view of the Government or from that of the service, unless it made suitable provision for this large class. The solution contained in the scheme is, I think, the best that can be devised. It provides for a pension to the widow if the officer dies during his service at a rate only 20 per cent less than if the officer had been liable to go on contributing at the same rate for the full ordinary term of contribution; and after he quits the West African Service he is, without having to pay any further contributions, similarly insured for a period which will normally be at least as long as that during which his death would be likely to be specifically attributable to his service in West Africa. This special provision will I think be more suitable also to the officer on the permanent staff who, if retired on medical certificate would by reason of the shortness of his pensionable service be ineligible for pension, and whose contributions after retirement there might be difficulty in collecting.

8. It may be desirable that I should explain the reason for the provision in paragraph 15 of the scheme to the effect that no widow whose husband dies within 12 months of the marriage without issue of the marriage shall be entitled to pension except with the approval of the Governor of the Colony or Protectorate in which the contributor last served. A provision to this effect is inserted in schemes of this character merely in order to prevent so called "death-bed" marriages being made with a view to securing a pension for the wife. Unless a marriage is clearly of this nature, the Governor would always give his approval of the issue of the pension.

9. You will note that provision is made in the scheme for periodic revisions of the Tables in accordance with the actuarial experience of the scheme. In this connection it is desirable to make it quite clear from the first that the scheme does not provide, and is not intended to provide, for anything in the shape of a "Fund," any balance or surplus of which would be legally or equitably the property of or capable of being distributed among the members or their beneficiaries. Pensions in accordance with the Pension Tables and on the basis of 6 per cent compound interest without any allowance for the cost of the management of the scheme will be guaranteed by the West African Governments in return for the contributions of the officers. Pensions once granted will not be altered in amount. The Pension Tables have been framed on the best statistical material which could be obtained. If the mortality experience of contributors in future is more favourable than during the period on which the Tables are based, the Governments will so far gain; if it is worse, the Governments will be paying more in pensions than was contemplated, and more than the contributions they receive accumulated at 6 per cent compound interest are worth. If on an actuarial investigation it is found that in view of recent mortality

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experience the rates of pensions can properly be increased, the rates of pensions granted subsequently to a date, which will be fixed for all the West African Colonies and Protectorates by the Secretary of State and will be notified in the Government Gazettes of the various Colonies and Protectorates, will be increased accordingly. If the investigation shows the opposite, the rates will be diminished. If it shows that some rates should be increased and some decreased, as might easily happen if the mortality incidence was found to have appreciably altered, they will be adjusted accordingly. If the investigation showed that the existing rates of pension were so approximately accurate that it was not worth altering them, the existing Tables would be left in force until the next actuarial investigation.

10. With regard to the Scheme generally, I would observe that it cannot of course be expected to provide for all the requirements of all West African officers. It will place most married officers in a much better position than hitherto with regard to provision for their families in the event of their death; and the rates of contribution are, I think, as high as is fair in a scheme in which bachelors are necessarily included, though, unless they marry, they cannot hope to receive any benefit from it. It will still be the duty of an officer himself to make such supplementary provision for his family as his and their special circumstances may render necessary. If, however, he does not do so, or if an officer already in the service declines to join the scheme on its inception though eligible to become a contributor, he must not expect that on his death his family will receive any financial assistance from the Government.

11. The adoption of the Scheme will of course involve legislation which should be as far as possible in indentical terms in all West African Colonies and Protectorates.

12. I enclose a draft Proclamation which has been prepared in the Colonial Office, and I would suggest the following procedure:—

The observations of your Government upon the Scheme and the draft Proclamation should be sent home by despatch so as to reach me by the end of July at latest. In the meantime the draft Proclamation might be published in the Protectorate for general information. After consideration of the replies from the various West African Governments, any alterations which appeared desirable in the Scheme or draft Proclamation would be made and revised copies would then be forwarded to West Africa in order that the draft Proclamation as so amended might be passed. It would probably be possible and convenient that the date on which the Scheme should come into operation should be 1st January, 1914, which would give the Crown Agents a reasonable time in which to make the necessary preliminary arrangements.

I have etc.,

L. HARCOURT.

GOVERNOR,
SIR F. D. LUGARD, G.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O.,
&c., &c. &c.

NORTHERN NIGERIA.
No. 462.

Downing Street,
22nd September, 1913.

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Sir,

With reference to your despatch No. 179 of the 1st of July, I have the honour to transmit to you a precis of the replies which have been received to my despatch of the 18th of March in which I forwarded to the West African Governments the pension Scheme for the widows and orphans of European officers serving in West Africa and the draft of an Ordinance for bringing it into effect.

Precis.

Memorandum.
African West, 997
First Edition.

2. I also enclose a memorandum, prepared in this Department and concurred in by the Actuary, dealing with the various objections which have been raised to the principles or details of the Scheme.

3. In order to meet as far as possible the objections which are based on the smallness of the pension in those cases in which the officer first becomes a contributor at such an age that few annual contributions can be paid before he attains the age of 50, which cases are of course always numerous when such a scheme is first started, I have come to the conclusion that any officer on first becoming a contributor or on his subsequent marriage should be allowed to elect to make a voluntary additional annual contribution of an amont equal to 50 per cent of his ordinary contribution at the time of so electing: and that further an officer in the West African service when the Scheme comes into operation may be allowed to make a lump sum contribution of an amount not exceeding the total without interest of the contributions which he might have made had the scheme come into force 5 years before. These modifications will enable the officer of some standing in the West African Service who joins the Scheme at its commencement to secure by increased contributions a pension for his widow or orphans of an amount approximating to that which the Scheme will provide in return for compulsory contributions in the case of officers who enter the West African Service after the commencement of the Scheme.

4. The instructions for the use of the Tables have been amplified and examples have been added as will be seen in the enclosed revised copies of the Scheme, from which after consultation with the Actuary Table D. has been deleted.

Draft Ordinance.

5. The draft ordinance has also been carefully revised and provision has been made for the additional contributions to which I have referred above. The other alterations which have been made are in sections 2—5, 8, 10, 12, 13, 22, 24, 27, 28 and 31 and are merely drafting amendments. I enclose a copy of the revised draft and I should be glad if it could be enacted in its present form before the end of November so that final instructions can be given to the Crown Agents to start the scheme as from the 1st of January, 1914.

6. As the scheme is of considerable importance to the West African Service, I would ask that this despatch and the memoranda enclosed in it and also my despatch of March 18th may be published in the Protectorate so that all members of the Northern Nigeria Service may have an opportunity of reading them.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient humble servant,

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PENSION SCHEME for Widows and Orphans of European Officers serving in the West African Colonies and Protectorates.

1.—*Outline of the Scheme.*

1. The scheme is common to all the British West African Colonies and Protectorates. Subject to the exceptions mentioned in the next paragraph, every European officer appointed permanently or temporarily to a post in the Colonial service in West Africa after the scheme is brought into operation* will be required to contribute in accordance with the scheme. Officers who are already in the West African Service when the scheme comes into operation will, if eligible to contribute, be allowed to elect within six months whether they will become contributors or not. If an officer elects not to contribute and is re-engaged or reappointed subsequently to the date when the scheme comes into operation, he will be required to become a contributor from the date of his re-engagement or reappointment.

2. The following are not eligible to be contributors :—

(a) Governors and their Private Secretaries and Aides-de-Camp, if not contributors before they held these positions.

(b) Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, and men on the active list of the Navy or of the Regular Army temporarily employed by a West African Government in either a military or a civil capacity.

(c) Officers temporarily employed on special missions.

(d) Females.

The following are not eligible to become contributors :—

Officers who have attained the age of 49.

European officers who are contributing to a Widows' and Orphans' Pension Scheme established by Government in a British Colony or Protectorate outside West Africa shall not be required to become contributors under this scheme.

3. The scheme will be managed for the West African Governments by the Crown Agents for the Colonies. The Crown Agents will deduct the contributions from the salaries of contributors when they are on leave or when their salaries are paid in whole or in part through the Crown Agents. When a contributor's salary is not paid through the Crown Agents, his contributions will be deducted from his salary, by the Colonial Government. If a contributor is on leave on half salary, or under interdiction, or on leave without salary, he will still be liable to contribute at the ordinary rate. In the last mentioned case, if the officer does not himself pay to the Colonial Government or to the Crown Agents his contributions during the period when he was on leave without salary, the amount of the contributions in arrear will be deducted from the first payment of salary subsequent to such leave.

4. The Crown Agents will keep the Registers of officers and their contributions and calculate the prospective pensions of widows and orphans. The pensions when granted will be paid by the Crown Agents monthly in arrear.

5. The rates of contribution will be as follows : An officer the maximum of whose scale of salary (or whose actual salary if he is not on an incremental scale) exceeds the amount given in any line of the first column below but does not exceed that given in the corresponding line of the second shall contribute at the annual rate given in the corresponding line of the third column.

Column 1.	Column 2.	Column 3.
£	£	£
—	275	12
275	300	15
300	400	18
400	500	24
500	600	30
600	700	35
700	800	40

* It is proposed that the scheme should be brought into operation on 1st January, 1914. Officers selected by the Secretary of State before that date will for this purpose be regarded as having been appointed to the West African Service even though they draw no salary until after that date.

and so on, the annual contribution increasing by £5 for each step of £100 in the salary scale. Provided that no officer shall be required to contribute at a higher rate than £60 a year.

Besides the ordinary annual contribution, a contributor who, before the date of his first payment of contribution or within three months after marrying, shall by written notice to the Crown Agents so elect may make an additional annual contribution of one half of the amount specified in the line in Column 3 above which is applicable to him at the date of notification. Such an additional annual contribution shall be paid as from the date on which he first became a contributor or as from the first day of the month next after that in which his notice was received by the Crown Agents, as the case may be.

No officer shall be allowed to contribute at a higher annual rate than £100 in all.

A European officer who is in the West African Service at the commencement of the scheme and who elects to become a contributor may if he wishes when so electing pay to the Crown Agents as a lump sum contribution an amount not exceeding the total without interest of the amounts which he might have contributed by way of ordinary and additional annual contributions prior to the date of his so electing if this scheme had come into operation on the 1st of January, 1909.

6. For the purpose of fixing the rate of contribution no regard shall be had to any personal, duty, or acting allowance, nor to any other receipts, emoluments or advantages of any kind which the officer may receive or enjoy; but the contribution shall be assessed with regard only to the amount of the salary of the definite post held by the officer without previous deduction of the amount of his contributions.

7.—(i) Every contributor shall within three months of his becoming a contributor notify to the Crown Agents for the Colonies in writing :—

(a) the date of his birth, and,

(b) if he is a married man, the dates of his marriage and of the births of his wife and children (if any).

(ii) Every contributor who marries while a contributor shall, within three months after his marriage, notify the same to the Crown Agents in writing and state the date of the birth of his wife.

(iii) Every contributor shall notify to the Crown Agents in writing within three months from the date of the event :—

(a) the birth of any child born to him ;

(b) the marriage of any female child under the age of 21 ;

(c) the death of his wife or of any of his children of a pensionable age.

(iv) After the death of any married contributor, the widow of such contributor shall notify to the Crown Agents in writing within three months from the date of the event :—

(a) the date of the death of the contributor, if he was not at the time in the West African Service,

(b) the birth of any posthumous child born to such contributor,

(c) the marriage of any female child of such contributor under the age of 21 years,

(d) the death of any child of such contributor under the age of 18 years if a male or under the age of 21 years if a female.

(v) Any such statement or notice shall be proved by the production of birth, death, or marrige certificates or by affidavit or otherwise, to the satisfaction of the Crown Agents for the Colonies.

8. A contributor or widow who fails or neglects to comply with any of the requirements of the foregoing paragraph shall, for each default, pay a fine not exceeding £2, which may be deducted from his or her salary or pension as the case may be. A contributor or widow who wilfully makes any false statement respecting any of the particulars required to be furnished under the scheme shall be liable to forfeit, at the discretion of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, all or any part of his or her rights under the scheme.

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9. Contributions will be payable in monthly instalments for an exact number of years, the period of payment terminating after the 49th and before the 50th birthday. Thus, if a contributor born in January, 1884, began to contribute in June, 1914, he would pay for 19 years, making his last monthly payment in May, 1933, should he live so long.

A contributor who is making an additional annual contribution may, however, discontinue it at any time.

10. On the death of a married contributor, a pension dating from the day after her husband's death will be payable to his widow by monthly instalments (or quarterly if preferred) through out her life or until her re-marriage or bankruptcy. Should the widow die leaving children of the marriage, if males under the age of 18 years, and if females under the age of 21 and unmarried, the pension which she has been receiving will be continued to them in equal shares until the males attain 18 years of age and until the females shall attain 21 or marry. Upon the happening of any of these events, or on death before their happening the pension payable to the child concerned will pass to the surviving qualified children in equal shares as long as any remain, lapsing and ceasing when none such remain. If there be no children, the entire pension will lapse and cease on the death of the widow.

11. Should a contributor, having been once married only, die a widower leaving children, the pension which would otherwise have been payable to his widow will be divided among the children in accordance with the above regulations. In any case, if there be only one child qualified under the above regulations the whole pension will be payable to that child, subject to the regulations aforesaid.

12. When a contributor dies leaving a widow, and also children of a previous marriage who would under the above regulations be entitled to pensions, the said children will only be entitled among them to half the pension to which their mother would have been entitled had she survived her husband, and the widow to one-half only of the pension (and remainder, as above provided, to her own issue by the marriage, if any) to which she would have been entitled had there been no such children; but when such children cease to be entitled then the widow will be entitled to her full pension. If such widow dies, remarries, or otherwise ceases to be entitled to a pension, and leaves no lawful children of the marriage with her deceased husband who are eligible for pension, the children of the previous marriage will thereupon be entitled to pension as if their father had not married a second time.

13. Should a contributor at his death, either as a widower or with a widow surviving, leave children of more than one marriage qualified for pension, the same principle shall be followed. Calling, for the purpose of this explanation, the surviving widow (if any) and each set of children qualified for pension "a beneficiary," then each beneficiary will take such a proportion of the pension to which, if the only beneficiary, it would have been entitled as unity bears to the total number of beneficiaries; and on lapse of the share of any beneficiary the benefits of the others will be proportionately increased.

14. Re-marriage of a widow, whether she have children or not, cancels the pension and all benefits of every kind so far as she is herself concerned.

15. The benefits shall apply only to widows whom the contributors have married before the termination of their West African service or the attainment of the age of 55, whichever of these events shall first happen, and to the issue of such marriages.

No widow whose husband dies within twelve months of the marriage without issue of such marriage shall be entitled to a pension, except with the approval of the Governor of the West African Colony or Protectorate in which the contributor last served.

16. All pensions shall be inalienable and shall cease on the bankruptcy of the widow, but in the latter case an allowance not greater than the amount of the pension may as an act of grace be paid to, or for the maintenance of, the widow if she has no children eligible for the pension.

17. The Crown Agents may require such proof as they deem desirable that any widow or child claiming to be entitled to pension, or on behalf of whom such claim is made, is alive and entitled to pension.

18. Increases of contributions shall rank for benefit on the scale of the Pension Tables as if they were fresh entrances at the respective ages of husband and wife when the increase takes place

If the salary of a contributor be reduce so that he comes under a lower scale of contribution under paragraph 5 above, he may at his option continue his contributions on the former scale and rank for benefit accordingly, but if his contribution be reduced the benefit shall be reduced in the same proportion in which it would have been increased had his contribution been raised instead of lowered.

19. If a contributor dies while in the West African Service being a bachelor, or a widower without children qualified for pension, there shall be returnable to his legal representatives in the first case one-half of his total contributions without interest, and in the second case one half (without interest) of the contributions which he has paid since the death of his last wife or the ceasing to be qualified for pension of his last child, whichever event shall have last happened.

20. A contributor who, while a bachelor or widower without children qualified for pension, leaves the West African Service, shall cease to be entitled to contribute to the scheme or rank for its benefits; but, unless retired for misconduct, he shall be entitled to the same return as that to which his legal representatives would have been entitled in the case of his death.

21. If a contributor who is married or who is a widower with children eligible for pension retires from the West African Service on pension, or if he is transferred to other service under the Crown, or leaves the Service for any reason other than misconduct before his contribution term has expired, and his service is of such a nature and of such length as would have rendered him eligible for a pension if he had been retired from the West African Service on medical certificate, he may continue to contribute at the rate at which he was contributing immediately before his retirement or transfer, in which case, if he is a pensioner, his contributions will be deducted from his pension. Or, he may on, or at any time after, retirement or transfer elect to cease to contribute. If he so ceases to contribute, he will rank for a benefit reduced so as to correspond with the payments he has made; or, if in the meantime his wife has died or been divorced or his children have ceased to be eligible for pension, he will cease to be entitled to rank for benefit.

22. In the case of a contributor who is married or who is a widower with children eligible for pension, and whose service is not of such a nature or is not of such length as would render him eligible for a pension if retired on medical certificate, the pension to be granted to his widow or orphan children if he dies while a contributor shall be at the rate of four-fifths of the amount given by the Pension Tables: and pension at the same rate may be granted if such an officer, having left the West African Service for any reason other than misconduct, dies within a period dating from the day of his retirement or transfer, and equal to one third of the number of complete months during which he contributed.

An officer whose case falls under this paragraph shall not be eligible to continue to contribute after he has left the West African Service.

23. The Pension Tables are calculated on the basis of 6 per cent. compound interest on the balance between receipts and expenditure, and are so framed as not to include any allowance for cost of administration, which will be borne by the West African Governments.

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24. The Pension Tables may be revised from time to time after an actuarial investigation. Such investigations shall take place at such dates as the Secretary of State may from time to time determine, being not less than ten years from the date when the scheme first came into operation or from the date of the last investigation. If after such an investigation it is decided by the Secretary of State that revised Pension Tables should be adopted, these will come into force on a date which will be notified and will apply to all cases where pensions had not become payable before that date; but all pensions which became payable before that date shall be unaffected by the new Tables.

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24	·317	·334	·357	·385	·422	·470	·535	·622	·731	·876
25	·310	·327	·349	·376	·412	·459	·523	·608	·716	·853
26	·303	·320	·341	·368	·403	·448	·511	·595	·701	·839
27	·295	·313	·334	·360	·394	·439	·500	·583	·686	·822
28	·290	·306	·326	·352	·385	·430	·490	·570	·673	·806
29	·284	·300	·319	·345	·378	·421	·481	·558	·660	·792
30	·278	·293	·312	·337	·369	·412	·470	·547	·647	·779
31	·272	·286	·305	·331	·361	·404	·461	·536	·634	·764
32	·266	·280	·299	·324	·354	·395	·452	·526	·622	·751
33	·261	·274	·293	·316	·347	·387	·443	·516	·611	·739
34	·255	·268	·286	·309	·340	·379	·434	·506	·599	·724
35	·250	·263	·279	·302	·332	·370	·424	·496	·587	·711
36	·244	·257	·273	·295	·325	·362	·415	·486	·576	·698
37	·239	·252	·268	·289	·318	·356	·407	·478	·567	·688
38	·234	·247	·262	·283	·312	·350	·400	·470	·560	·679
39	·230	·242	·257	·277	·304	·343	·393	·462	·551	·669
40	·225	·237	·252	·271	·298	·335	·385	·453	·541	·659
41	·220	·232	·247	·265	·292	·328	·377	·444	·532	·649
42	·216	·227	·241	·259	·286	·322	·370	·436	·524	·641
43	·211	·222	·236	·254	·279	·314	·364	·429	·517	·633
44	·207	·217	·231	·249	·273	·307	·357	·421	·508	·627
45	·203	·213	·227	·244	·267	·300	·350	·413	·500	·620
46	·199	·209	·223	·240	·263	·295	·345	·408	·494	·617
47	·198	·206	·219	·236	·258	·291	·340	·403	·492	·616
48	·194	·203	·216	·233	·254	·287	·335	·400	·491	·615
49	·190	·200	·213	·230	·252	·284	·331	·404	·490	·614

Table B.

The yearly pension, payable by monthly instalments, which a yearly contribution of 1 payable by monthly instalments will secure.

23	3·743	3·956	4·233	4·595	4·986	5·553	6·321	7·347	8·628	10·340
24	3·612	3·815	4·076	4·396	4·811	5·357	6·101	7·091	8·329	9·998
25	3·514	3·669	3·919	4·225	4·624	5·153	5·869	6·823	8·033	9·574
26	3·335	3·523	3·762	4·059	4·437	4·948	5·610	6·552	7·723	9·247
27	3·195	3·381	3·606	3·891	4·258	4·749	5·409	6·301	7·418	8·888
28	3·064	3·236	3·449	3·729	4·079	4·551	5·187	6·030	7·119	8·531
29	2·934	3·104	3·298	3·569	3·904	4·354	4·965	5·781	6·820	8·188
30	2·808	2·986	3·151	3·405	3·730	4·159	4·748	5·539	6·536	7·869
31	2·675	2·816	3·003	3·253	3·558	3·972	4·538	5·274	6·229	7·518
32	2·547	2·684	2·863	3·096	3·386	3·780	4·324	5·035	5·954	7·188
33	2·418	2·544	2·712	2·930	3·220	3·591	4·109	4·787	5·664	6·849
34	2·286	2·407	2·562	2·766	3·044	3·394	3·884	4·533	5·364	6·491
35	2·156	2·269	2·413	2·604	2·866	3·191	3·658	4·277	5·064	6·133
36	2·024	2·130	2·263	2·443	2·690	3·001	3·436	4·025	4·770	5·774
37	1·891	1·991	2·116	2·288	2·517	2·811	3·220	3·777	4·481	5·440
38	1·761	1·856	1·969	2·126	2·337	2·624	3·003	3·529	4·202	5·096
39	1·626	1·713	1·820	1·962	2·154	2·443	2·790	3·298	3·898	4·735
40	1·489	1·569	1·667	1·798	1·971	2·217	2·546	2·992	3·577	4·351
41	1·349	1·424	1·510	1·633	1·785	2·011	2·309	2·715	3·258	3·976
42	1·206	1·269	1·348	1·451	1·596	1·798	2·068	2·435	2·929	3·583
43	1·061	1·115	1·186	1·276	1·402	1·578	1·828	2·153	2·596	3·186
44	·911	·957	1·019	1·094	1·202	1·351	1·572	1·854	2·238	2·746
45	·760	·798	·850	·913	1·000	1·123	1·310	1·547	1·869	2·315
46	·604	·634	·675	·726	·796	·894	1·044	1·236	1·495	1·862
47	·442	·465	·494	·532	·582	·657	·768	·916	1·109	1·388
48	·274	·287	·305	·329	·360	·407	·475	·573	·695	·870
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23	3·094	2·930	2·744	2·544	2·324	2·087	1·834	1·578	1·343	1·131
24	3·139	2·980	2·799	2·595	2·371	2·130	1·870	1·609	1·368	1·142
25	3·230	3·038	2·863	2·656	2·427	2·177	1·912	1·644	1·397	1·173
26	3·304	3·128	2·930	2·718	2·484	2·227	1·955	1·682	1·427	1·193
27	3·380	3·197	2·996	2·778	2·539	2·276	1·998	1·716	1·457	1·216
28	3·453	3·270	3·068	2·837	2·594	2·325	2·040	1·755	1·486	1·240
29	3·520	3·328	3·133	2·895	2·646	2·372	2·081	1·793	1·515	1·262
30	3·597	3·417	3·205	2·956	2·709	2·428	2·127	1·836	1·547	1·296
31	3·678	3·494	3·276	3·025	2·766	2·477	2·170	1·868	1·577	1·316
32	3·757	3·565	3·343	3·091	2·826	2·532	2·213	1·901	1·607	1·331
33	3·834	3·644	3·419	3·164	2·880	2·582	2·257	1·937	1·637	1·364
34	3·919	3·723	3·497	3·240	2·944	2·640	2·307	1·977	1·670	1·380
35	4·003	3·804	3·578	3·314	3·011	2·705	2·359	2·018	1·704	1·407
36	4·090	3·886	3·658	3·386	3·078	2·758	2·409	2·056	1·735	1·433
37	4·177	3·968	3·734	3·454	3·140	2·811	2·454	2·092	1·763	1·452
38	4·264	4·044	3·811	3·529	3·211	2·860	2·497	2·126	1·786	1·473
39	4·352	4·130	3·888	3·605	3·285	2·918	2·545	2·166	1·815	1·494
40	4·442	4·215	3·968	3·686	3·356	2·984	2·598	2·211	1·849	1·518
41	4·537	4·300	4·053	3·768	3·429	3·044	2·653	2·255	1·879	1·540
42	4·637	4·405	4·149	3·853	3·503	3·110	2·703	2·298	1·909	1·561
43	4·733	4·501	4·234	3·936	3·582	3·186	2·747	2·331	1·934	1·578
44	4·832	4·598	4·319	4·024	3·664	3·260	2·801	2·374	1·967	1·596
45	4·924	4·680	4·403	4·096	3·743	3·330	2·856	2·419	2·002	1·614
46	5·012	4·776	4·485	4·171	3·813	3·388	2·901	2·451	2·025	1·630
47	5·099	4·853	4·565	4·241	3·874	3·431	2·936	2·462	2·033	1·634
48	5·157	4·925	4·637	4·297	3·927	3·461	2·963	2·469	2·037	1·637
49	5·208	4·967	4·700	4·345	3·969	3·524	3·020	2·478	2·039	1·638

III.

Instructions for the Use of the Tables.*

A.—Contributor who commenced to contribute while a bachelor.

I.—First Wife's Prospective Pension.

The registered pension to be recorded on marriage is found by adding together the two amounts calculated in accordance with the following Rules I. (*a*) and I (*b*) respectively.

(*a*) Pension in consideration of the contributions paid during bachelorhood.

Rule I. (*a*).—Accumulate the contributions at 6 per cent. compound interest with yearly rests at each 31st December, and multiply the result by the quantity found from Table A corresponding to the respective ages last birthday of the husband and wife at the date of marriage.

The product gives the registered pension on account of the contributions paid during bachelorhood.

(b) Pension in consideration of the annual contribution current at the date of marriage.

Rule I. (b) Multiply the amount of the current annual contribution by the quantity found from Table B corresponding to the respective ages last birthday of the husband and wife at the date of marriage.

The product gives the registered pension on account of the annual contribution current at the date of marriage.

Example:—

Officer born on .. .. .. 31st July, 1885.
,, commenced to contribute on 1st January, 1914.
,, married on .. .. .. 30th June, 1917.
Wife born on .. .. .. 12th August, 1891.
Officer's age last birthday at date of marriage .. 31.
Wife's age last birthday at date of marriage .. 25.
Annual contribution—1st January, 1914 to 31st December, 1915, £18.
Annual contribution—1st January, 1916 to date of marriage £24.

* In the case of contributors who fall under Paragraph 22 the pension given by the Pension Tables and these Instructions must be multiplied by 4/5.

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32	2·547	2·684	2·862	3·026	3·386	3·780	4·324	5·035	5·984	7·188
33	2·418	2·544	2·712	2·930	3·220	3·591	4·109	4·787	5·684	6·849
34	2·296	2·407	2·562	2·766	3·044	3·394	3·884	4·533	5·384	6·491
35	2·186	2·269	2·413	2·604	2·866	3·191	3·658	4·277	5·084	6·133
36	2·094	2·150	2·283	2·445	2·69 0	3·001	3·436	4·025	4·770	5·776
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38	1·780	1·856	1·989	2·138	2·337	2·624	3·005	3·529	4·202	5·096
39	1·638	1·713	1·820	1·962	2·154	2·443	2·780	3·266	3·898	4·735
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24	3·150	2·990	2·799	2·595	2·371	2·130	1·870	1·609	1·368	1·142
25	3·220	3·058	2·863	2·656	2·427	2·177	1·912	1·644	1·397	1·173
26	3·304	3·128	2·930	2·715	2·484	2·227	1·955	1·682	1·427	1·192
27	3·380	3·197	2·996	2·778	2·539	2·276	1·998	1·716	1·457	1·216
28	3·453	3·270	3·063	2·837	2·594	2·325	2·040	1·755	1·486	1·240
29	3·520	3·328	3·133	2·895	2·646	2·372	2·081	1·793	1·515	1·262
30	3·597	3·417	3·205	2·966	2·708	2·428	2·127	1·829	1·547	1·286
31	3·678	3·494	3·278	3·035	2·766	2·477	2·170	1·866	1·577	1·309
32	3·757	3·565	3·343	3·091	2·826	2·532	2·213	1·901	1·607	1·331
33	3·834	3·644	3·419	3·164	2·880	2·582	2·257	1·937	1·637	1·354
34	3·919	3·723	3·497	3·240	2·944	2·640	2·307	1·977	1·670	1·380
35	4·003	3·804	3·578	3·314	3·011	2·705	2·359	2·018	1·704	1·407
36	4·090	3·886	3·668	3·386	3·078	2·758	2·409	2·056	1·735	1·433
37	4·177	3·968	3·734	3·454	3·140	2·811	2·454	2·092	1·763	1·453
38	4·264	4·044	3·811	3·529	3·211	2·880	2·497	2·126	1·795	1·473
39	4·353	4·130	3·888	3·605	3·285	2·916	2·545	2·166	1·815	1·494
40	4·442	4·213	3·968	3·686	3·356	2·984	2·598	2·211	1·849	1·518
41	4·537	4·300	4·053	3·768	3·429	3·044	2·653	2·255	1·879	1·540
42	4·637	4·405	4·149	3·853	3·503	3·110	2·703	2·298	1·909	1·561
43	4·733	4·501	4·254	3·936	3·582	3·186	2·747	2·331	1·934	1·576
44	4·832	4·598	4·319	4·024	3·664	3·260	2·800	2·374	1·967	1·595
45	4·924	4·690	4·403	4·098	3·743	3·330	2·856	2·419	2·003	1·614
46	5·012	4·776	4·485	4·171	3·813	3·388	2·901	2·451	2·035	1·630
47	5·099	4·853	4·565	4·241	3·874	3·431	2·936	2·482	2·032	1·634
48	5·157	4·925	4·637	4·297	3·927	3·461	2·963	2·469	2·037	1·627
49	5·258	4·987	4·700	4·345	3·969	3·524	3·020	2·476	2·039	1·628

III.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE USE OF THE TABLES.*

A.—Contributor who commenced to contribute while a bachelor.

I.—First Wife's Prospective Pension.

The registered pension to be recorded on marriage is found by adding together the two amounts calculated in accordance with the following Rules I. (*a*) and I (*b*) respectively.

(*a*) Pension in consideration of the contributions paid during bachelorhood.

Rule I. (*a*).—Accumulate the contributions at 6 per cent. compound interest with yearly rests at each 31st December, and multiply the result by the quantity found from Table A corresponding to the respective ages last birthday of the husband and wife at the date of marriage.

The product gives the registered pension on account of the contributions paid during bachelorhood.

(b) Pension in consideration of the annual contribution current at the date of marriage.

Rule I. (b) Multiply the amount of the current annual contribution by the quantity found from Table B corresponding to the respective ages last birthday of the husband and wife at the date of marriage.

The product gives the registered pension on account of the annual contribution current at the date of marriage.

EXAMPLE:—

Officer born on .. .. .. 31st July, 1885.
" commenced to contribute on 1st January, 1914.
" married on .. .. .. 30th June, 1917.
Wife born on .. .. .. 12th August, 1891.
Officer's age last birthday at date of marriage .. 31.
Wife's age last birthday at date of marriage .. 25.
Annual contribution—1st January, 1914 to 31st December, 1915, £18.
Annual contribution—1st January, 1916 to date of marriage £24.

* In the case of contributors who fall under Paragraph 22 the pension given by the Pension Tables and these Instructions must be multiplied by 4/5.

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Accumulation of contributions paid during bachelorhood—

	£	s.	d.
Contributions from 1st Jan. 1914 to 31st Dec. 1914	18	0	0
Contributions during 1915	18	0	0
One year's interest at 6 per cent. on £18 ..	1	1	7
	37	1	7
Contributions during 1916	24	0	0
One year's interest at 6 per cent. on £37 1s. 7d.	2	4	5
	63	6	0
Contribution from 1st Jan. 1917 to 30th June, 1917	12	0	0
Half year's interest at 6 per cent. on £63 6s. 0d.	1	17	11
Total accumulation ..	77	3	11

Quantity found from Table A.:—
Husband .. .. 31 } ·286
Wife .. .. .. 25 }

£77 3s. 11d. × ·286 = £22 1s. 6d. = registered pension in consideration of contributions paid during bachelorhood.

Annual contribution current at date of marriage, £24.
Quantity found from Table B.:—
Husband .. .. 31 } 2·816
Wife .. .. .. 25 }

£24 × 2·816 = £67 11s. 8d. = registered pension in consideration of annual contribution current at marriage.

Total registered pension recorded on the bachelor contributor marrying:—

	£	s.	d.
By Rule I. (a)	22	1	6
By Rule I. (b)	67	11	8
Total ..	89	13	2

(c) Variations of pension consequent on increments to, and decrements from, the current annual contribution while the contributor is married to his first wife.

Rule I. (c) Multiply the amount of the increment to, or the decrements from, the current annual contribution by the quantity found from Table B. corresponding to the respective ages last birthday of the husband and wife at the date of the variation of the contribution.

The product gives the amount to be added to the registered pension consequent on the increment to the current annual contribution, or, as the case may be, the amount to be deducted from the registered pension consequent on the decrement from the current annual contribution.

The cessation of the contribution from any cause before the completion of the full period of contribution must be regarded as a decrement from the current annual contribution equal to the amount of such current annual contribution.

Example of the application of Rule I. (c)—

Assume particulars as in the example subjoined to Rules I. (a) and I. (b).

Annual contribution increased on 31st May, 1922, from £24 to £30.

Annual contribution increased on 30th April, 1927, from £30 to £35.

Annual contribution ceased on 31st March, 1932.

1912, May 31st—Increment to current annual contribution, £6.
Quantity found from Table B.—
Husband... ... ... 36 } 2·263.
Wife ... ... 30 }

£6 × 2·263 = £13 11s. 6d. = amount to be added to the registered pension.

	£	s.	d.
Registered pension at marriage (*see* example subjoined to Rules I. (a) and I. (b).)	89	13	2
Add	13	11	6
Registered pension at 31st May, 1922 ...	£103	4	8

1927, April 30th—Increment to current annual contribution, £5.
Quantity found from Table B.—
Husband... ... ... 41 } 1·625.
Wife ... ... 35 }

£5 × 1·625 = £8 2s. 6d. = amount to be added to the registered pension.

	£	s.	d.
Registered pension at 31st May, 1922, as above	103	4	8
Add	8	2	6
Registered pension at 30th April, 1927 ...	£111	7	2

1932, March 31st—Cessation of contribution regarded as a decrement from current annual contribution, £35.
Quantity found from Table B.—
Husband... ... ... 46 } ·796.
Wife ... ... 40 }

£35 × ·796 = £27 17s. 2d. = amount to be deducted from the registered pension.

	£	s.	d.
Registered pension at 30th April, 1927, as above	111	7	2
Deduct	27	17	2
Registered pension at 31st March, 1932 ...	£83	10	0

II. Second and Subsequent Wife's Prospective Pension.

(a) Variations of pension consequent on increments to, and decrements from, the current annual contribution while the contributor is a widower.

Rule II. (a) Assume that the contributor is married to a wife of the age that his last preceding wife would have been had she survived to the date of the variation of the contribution, and proceed in accordance with Rule I. (c).

Example of the application of Rule II. (a)—

If the particulars be as in the example subjoined to Rule I. (c) except that the first wife, who was born on 12th August, 1891, died on 30th November, 1920, it would be assumed that the contributor was, at the date of each of the three variations of the contribution, married to a wife who was born on the 12th August, 1891. The calculations will then be identical with those given in the example subjoined to Rule I. (c).

(b) Variations of pension consequent on the re-marriage of the contributor.

If the second or subsequent wife was, at the date of the re-marriage, of the same age last birthday as the last preceding wife would have been had she survived to that date, the registered pension remains the same.

Rule II. (b) If the second or subsequent wife was, at the date of the re-marriage, of a less or greater age next birthday than the last preceding wife would have been had she survived to that date, multiply the amount of the registered pension by the quantity found from Table C. corresponding the age last birthday of the husband at the date of re-marriage and the age last birthday which the last preceding wife would have attained had she survived to that date; multiply the product so obtained by the quantity found from Table A. corresponding to the respective ages of the husband and of the second or subsequent wife at the date of the re-marriage.

The result gives the registered pension to be recorded on the re-marriage of the contributor.

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EXAMPLE of the application of Rule II. (b) :—

Assume particulars as in the example subjoined to Rule I. (c).

First wife died on	30th November, 1920.
Contributor re-married on	31 January, 1924.
Contributor's age last birthday at date of re-marriage	38
Second wife born on	30th June, 1893.
Second wife's age last birthday at date of the re-marriage	30
Age last birthday which the first wife would have attained had she survived to date of the re-marriage	32

1924, January 31st.—The second wife being of a less age next birthday at the date of the re-marriage than the first wife would have been had she survived, the registered pension £103 4*s.* 8*d.* (*see* example sub-joined to Rule I. (c).) is to be recalculated.

Quantity found from Table C :—

Husband...	38	3·698*.
Wife	32	

Quantity found from Table A :—

Husband...	38	·262.
Wife	30	

£103 4*s.* 8*d.* × 3·698 × ·262 = £100 0s. 6d. = registered pension at 31st January, 1924.

(c) Variations of pension consequent on increments to, and decrements from, the current annual contribution while the contributor is married to his second or subsequent wife.

Rule II. (c).—Proceed as in Rule I. (c).

B.—Contributor who commenced to Contribute while Married.

III.—First Wife's Prospective Pension.

In every case of a public officer who commenced to contribute while married, the wife at the date of commencement of contributions is to be considered as the officer's first wife, and no particulars are to be recorded respecting any former wife to whom he may have been married, unless there is issue of such former wife of a pensionable age (*see* C. V.).

(a) Pension in consideration of the annual contribution current at the date of commencement of the contribution.

Rule III. (a) Multiply the amount of the current annual contribution by the quantity found from Table B corresponding to the respective ages last birthday of the husband and wife at the date of commencement of the contribution.

The product gives the registered pension on account of the annual contribution current at the date of commencement of the contribution.

EXAMPLE of the application of Rule III. (a) :—

Officer born on...	31st July, 1885.
,, married on	30th June, 1912.
,, commenced to contribute on	1st January, 1916.
Annual contribution current on ...	1st January, 1916, £18.
Wife born on	12th August, 1891.
Officer's age last birthday on 1st January 1916, ...	30
Wife's age last birthday on 1st January, 1916 ...	24

Quantity found from Table B:—

Husband	30	2·926.
Wife	24	

£18 × 2·926 = £52 13*s.* 4*d.* = registered pension in consideration of annual contribution current at commencement of contribution.

(b) Variations of pension consequent on increments to, and decrements from, the current annual contribution while the contributor is married to his first wife.

Rule III (b).—Proceed as in Rule I. (c).

* For calculations *see* F below.

IV.—Second and Subsequent Wife's Prospective Pension.

(a) Variations of pension consequent on increments to, and decrements from, the current annual contribution while the contributor is a widower.

Rule IV. (a).—Proceed as in Rule II. (a).

(b) Variations of pension consequent on the re-marriage of the contributor.

Rule IV. (b).—Proceed as in Rule II. (b).

(c) Variations of pension consequent on increments to, and decrements from, the current annual contribution while the contributor is married to his second, or subsequent wife.

Rule IV. (c).—Proceed as in Rule I. (c).

C.—Contributor who commenced to contribute while a widower.

V.—Prospective Pension to children by his first Marriage.

So long as a contributor's children by his first marriage are eligible for pension, a pension must be registered on their behalf.

Rule V.—For the purpose of calculating the registered pension of the children, assume that the deceased wife lived until the date of commencement of contribution and died immediately afterwards and proceed in accordance with Rules III. (a) and (b).

VI.—Second and Subsequent Wife's Prospective Pension.

Rule VI.—For the purpose of calculating the registered pension of the wife assume that the deceased wife survived to the date of commencement of contribution and died immediately afterwards; then proceed in accordance with the Rules applicable to the case of Officers who commenced to contribute while married (*see* B).

D.—Contributor with two or more beneficiaries.

Rule VII.—When there are children eligible for pension by two or more deceased wives, or where there is a wife and also children eligible for pension by one or more previous marriages, the pension of each beneficiary as found by the above Rules must be divided by the total number of the beneficiaries then existing in order to find the registered pension of that beneficiary.

E.—Treatment of voluntary lump sum contributions.

Rule VIII. (a). If the contributor is a bachelor, the lump sum contribution should be accumulated as from the date of payment and treated in accordance with Rule I. (a).

Rule VIII. (b). If the contributor is married or a widower, the amount of the lump sum contribution should be multiplied by the quantity found from Table A. corresponding to the respective ages last birthday of the husband and wife at the date of payment of the contribution. If the contributor is a widower, assume that the deceased wife lived until the date of payment of the lump sum contribution and died immediately afterwards.

F.—Calculation of quantities (or tabular results) for ages not given in the tables.

The wife's age in the Tables is given at quinquennial intervals only. Ages of husbands and wives younger than the youngest, or older than the oldest given are to be dealt with as if identical with the youngest and oldest respectively.

For the intermediate age of wives, interpolate by exact fifths.

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EXAMPLES:—

To find the quantity in Table A. corresponding to the ages of a husband and wife aged respectively 35 and 27 last birthday.

The quantity for ages 35 and 25 given in Table A. is ·263
The quantity for ages 35 and 30 given in Table A. is ·279

So that the additon of 5 years to the age of the wife results in an addition of ·016 to the quantity given in the Table for ages 35 and 25.

An addition of two years to the age of the wife accordingly results, by proportion, in an addition of two-fifths of ·016 to the quantity given in the Table for ages 35 and 25.

Two-fifths of ·016 = ·006, which, added to ·263 gives ·269, which is the required quantity corresponding to ages 35 and 27.

Similarly the quantity found from Table B. corresponding to the ages of a husband and wife aged respectively 30 and 24 last birthday is four-fifths of ·148 added to 2·808, which gives 2·926.

In the case of Table C., it must be noted that an addition to the age of the wife results in a *deduction* from the quantity given in the Table.

To find the quantity in Table C. corresponding to the ages of a husband and wife aged respectively 38 and 32 last birthday.

The quantity for ages 38 and 30 given in the Table is 3·811.
The quantity for ages 38 and 35 given in the Table is 3·529.

So that the addition of five years to the age of the wife results in a deduction of ·282 from the quantity given in the Table for ages 38 and 30.

And addition of two years to the age of the wife accordingly results, by proportion, in a deduction of two-fifths of ·282 from the quantity given in the Table for ages 38 and 30.

Two-fifths of ·282 = ·113, which deducted from 3·811 leaves 3·698 which is the required quantity corresponding to ages 38 and 32.

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AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE PROVISION FOR GRANTING PENSIONS TO WIDOWS AND CHILDREN OF DECEASED EUROPEAN PUBLIC OFFICERS.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the granting of pensions to the widows and children of European officers employed in the service of the Government of this Colony, AND WHEREAS it is expedient that there should be established for this purpose a scheme common to all the British Colonies and Protectorates in West Africa and that it should be managed on behalf of the Governments of those Colonies and Protectorates by the Crown Agents for the Colonies.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED ETC.

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Ordinance 1913" and shall come into operation on the first day of January 1914, which date is hereinafter referred to as the commencement of this Ordinance.

Interpretation.

2. (1) In this Ordinance, if not inconsistent with the context, the following expressions have the meanings hereinafter respectively assigned to them viz:—

"This Government" means the Government of Northern Nigeria.

"European Officer" means any officer both of whose parents were of European descent but includes also any other officer who is appointed under the conditions of service ordinarily applicable to Europeans.

"West African Service" means the service of the Government of any one or more of the following:—

The Protectorate of Northern Nigeria, the Colony and Protectorate of Southern Nigeria, the Colony of the Gold Coast together with Ashanti and the Northern Territories, the Colony and Protectorate of Sierra Leone, and the Colony and Protectorate of the Gambia; which Governments are referred to as "West African Governments."

"The Scheme" means the scheme common to all the British Colonies and Protectorates in West Africa for granting pensions to the widows and children of European officers in the West African Service which it is intended to establish by this Ordinance and by similar legislation in the others of the said Colonies and Protectorates.

"Crown Agents" means the Crown Agents for the Colonies.

"The Secretary of State" means one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

"Of a pensionable age" as applied to children means, in the case of a male, that he is under the age of eighteen years, and, in the case of a female, that she is under the age of twenty-one years and has not been married. A child shall be deemed to cease to be of a

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pensionable age within the meaning of this Ordinance if a male on attaining the age of eighteen years or dying under that age, and if a female, on attaining the age of twenty-one years, or dying or marrying under that age.

"Contributor" includes a person all of whose contributions are fully paid and a person who has been transferred from the service of this Government to other West African Service while contributing under this Ordinance.

"Beneficiary" means and includes

(*a*) The widow of a contributor.

(*b*) The children of a contributor, by his marriage with any wife dying in his lifetime, who are alive and of pensionable age at the death of their father.

The words "monthly" and "month" refer to calendar months.

(2) When the marriage of any contributor has been annulled or dissolved by the decree of any competent court the wife party to such marriage shall for all purposes of this Ordinance be deemed to have died and the contributor to have become a widower at the date of such decree.

Who shall become contributors.

3. (1) Subject to the exceptions mentioned in the next section, every European officer appointed permanently or temporarily to a post in the Service of this Government after, and not appointed or selected for appointment to the West African Service before the commencement of this Ordinance shall become a contributor under the provisions of this Ordinance from the date on which he commences to draw any of the salary of the post.

(2) Subject to the same exceptions every European Officer who is in or selected for appointment to, the Service of this Government at the commencement of this Ordinance may within six months after the commencement of this Ordinance by written notice to the Crown Agents elect, to become a contributor; and, if he so elects, he shall contribute as from the first day of the month next after that in which his notice was received by the Crown Agents.

(3) If an European Officer who is in or selected for appointment to the West African Service at the commencement of the scheme does not elect to contribute to the scheme and is appointed to the Service of this Government subsequently to the commencement of this Ordinance upon such terms as constitute a re-appointment to or re-engagement in the West African Service, he shall, for the purposes of this Ordinance, be deemed to be appointed to the service of this Government on the date of such re-appointment or re-engagement.

Who shall not be contributors

4. (1) The following shall not be eligible to be contributors :—

(*a*) Governors and their Private Secretaries and Aides-de-Camp, if not contributors before they held these positions.

(*b*) Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men on the active list of the Navy or of the Regular Army temporarily employed by a West African Government in either a military or a civil capacity.

(*c*) Persons temporarily employed on special missions.

(*d*) Females.

(2) The following shall not be eligible to become contributors :— Who shall not become contributors.

Persons who have attained the age of 49, unless they are transferred from other West African Service in which they were contributors under the scheme and have not completed their periods of contribution.

(3) No officer shall be required to become a contributor under this Ordinance if, and for so long as, he is contributing to a Widows' and Orphans' Pension Scheme for Government officers established in a British Colony or Protectorate outside West Africa. Who may but need not become contributors.

5. (1) The rates of contribution shall be as follows:— Rates of contribution.

An officer the maximum of whose scale of salary (or whose actual salary if he is not on an incremental scale) exceeds the amount given in any line of the first column below but does not exceed that given in the corresponding line of the second, shall contribute at the annual rate given in the corresponding line of the third column:—

Column 1.	Column 2.	Column 3.
—	£275	£12
£275	£300	£15
£300	£400	£18
£400	£500	£24
£500	£600	£30
£600	£700	£35
£700	£800	£40

and so on, the annual contribution increasing by £5 for each step of £100 in the salary scale. Provided that no officer shall be required to contribute at a higher rate than £60 a year. Provided further that a contributor who before the date of his first payment of contribution under this Ordinance or within three months after marrying shall by written notice to the Crown Agents so elect may make an additional annual contribution of one half of the amount specified in the line in Column 3 above which is applicable to him at the date of notification. If he so elects to make an additional annual contribution he shall make it accordingly as form the date on which he first became a contributor or as from the first day of the month next after that in which his notice was received by the Crown Agents as the case may be.

No officer shall be allowed to contribute at a higher annual rate than £100 in all.

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2. A European officer who is in the service of this Government at the commencement of this Ordinance and who elects to become a contributor may, if he wishes when so electing pay to the Crown Agents as a lump sum contribution an amount not exceeding the total without interest of the amounts which he might have contributed by way of annual and additional annual contributions prior to the date of his so electing if this scheme had come into operation on the 1st of January, 1909.

3. Where a contributor is in receipt of salary from more than one West African Government his contributions under this Ordinance shall bear the same proportion to the contributions which he would have paid under this Ordinance had the whole of such salary been payable by this Government as the salary in fact payable by this Government bears to his total salary.

Salary only to determine rates of contribution.

6. For the purpose of fixing the rate of contribution, no regard shall be had to any personal duty, or acting allowance, nor to any other receipts, emoluments or advantages of any kind which the officer may receive or enjoy; but the contribution shall be assessed with regard only to the amount of the salary of the definite post held by the officer without previous deduction of the amount of his contributions.

Period and manner of contribution.

7. (1) All contributions shall be payable in monthly instalments for an exact number of years, the period of payment terminating after the 49th and before the 50th birthday of the contributor.

Provided that a contributor who is making an additional annual contribution may elect to discontinue such contribution at any time.

The Crown Agents shall deduct the contributions from the salaries of contributors when they are on leave or when their salaries are paid in whole or in part through the Crown Agents. When a contributor's salary is not paid through the Crown Agents his contributions shall be deducted from his salary by the Government. If a contributor is on leave on half salary or under interdiction or on leave without salary, he shall still be liable to contribute at the ordinary rate. In the last mentioned case, if the contributor does not himself pay to the Government or to the Crown Agents his contributions during the period when he was on leave without salary, the amount of his contributions in arrear shall be deducted from the first payment of salary subsequent to such leave.

How contributions shall be brought to account.

8. All contributions under this Ordinance shall be paid into, or credited by the Crown Agents to, the Treasury of the Protectorate.

Registers of contributors to be kept.

9. Registers shall be kept by the Crown Agents in which shall be entered the date of the birth of every contributor and, if he be married, the dates of the births of his wife and children (if any), particulars of his contributions and all other dates and particulars respecting contributors and their families material to be recorded for the purposes of this Ordinance.

Information to be furnished by contributors.

10. (1) Every contributor shall within three months of his first becoming a contributor under the scheme notify to the Crown Agents in writing:—

(*a*) the date of his birth and

(*b*) if he is a married man, the dates of his marriage and the births of his wife and children (if any).

(2) Every contributor who marries while a contributor shall within 3 months after his marriage notify the same to the Crown Agents in writing and state the date of the birth of his wife.

(3) Every contributor shall notify to the Crown Agents in writing within 3 months from the date of the event:—

(*a*) the birth of any child born to him:

(*b*) the marriage of any female child under the age of 21.

(*c*) the death of his wife or of any of his children of a pensionable age.

Information to be furnished by widows.

(4) After the death of any married contributor, the widow of such contributor shall notify to the Crown Agents in writing within 3 months from the date of the event:—

(*a*) the date of the death of the contributor, if he was not at the time in the West African service,

(*b*) the birth of any posthumous child born to such contributor,

(*c*) the marriage of any female child of such contributor under the age of 21 years.

(*d*) the death of any child of such contributor while of a pensionable age.

Proof of statements.

(5) Any such statement or notice shall be proved by the production of birth, death, or marriage certificates or by affidavit or otherwise, to the satisfaction of the Crown Agents.

Penalty for non-compliance.

11. (1) A contributor or widow who fails or neglects to comply with any of the requirements of the foregoing section shall, for each default, pay a fine not exceeding £2 sterling, which may be deducted from his or her salary or pension as the case may be.

Penalty for false statement.

(2) A contributor or widow who wilfully makes any false statement respecting any of the particulars required by this Ordinance to be furnished shall be liable to forfeit at the discretion of the Secretary of State all or any part of his or her rights under the scheme.

Calculation of pensions and mode of charge

12. The Crown Agents shall calculate the pensions payable under this Ordinance and shall pay the pensions as they become due. They shall charge the sums so paid as well as any refunds of contributions paid in accordance with this Ordinance as follows:—

(*a*.) Where the whole of the officer's contributions under the scheme has been received by this Government the whole cost of pensions or refunds in respect of that contributor shall be charged to this Government.

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(b.) Where the officer's contributions under the scheme have been received partly by this Government and partly by one or more other West African Governments the same proportion of the cost of pensions or refunds in respect of that contributor shall be charged to this Government as the amount of the officer's contributions received by this Government bears to the total amount of his contributions.

Pensions to Beneficiaries.

13. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance

(i.) On the death of a contributor leaving one or more beneficiaries such beneficiary or each of such beneficiaries shall receive a pension calculated according to the Pension Tables and instructions annexed to this Ordinance.

Pensions where more than one beneficiary.

(ii.) If pensions are payable to more than one beneficiary each beneficiary shall receive such a proportion of the pension which it would have received if it had been the only beneficiary as unity bears to the total number of beneficiaries.

Effect of lapse of pension on pensions of remaining beneficiaries.

(iii.) Where there are more beneficiaries than one receiving pensions in respect of the same contributor and any of such beneficiaries ceases to exist within the meaning of this Ordinance the beneficiary or beneficiaries if more than one remaining in existence shall, or each of them shall, as from the date of such cessation receive the pension it would have received if it and the other beneficiary or beneficiaries (if any) remaining in existence had been the only beneficiary or beneficiaries in existence at the death of such contributor.

Pension to widow.

14. (1.) Where a beneficiary consists of the widow of a contributor the pension payable to such beneficiary shall subject to any deductions in respect of partial forfeitures under section 11 (2) be paid to her and shall cease on her death, bankruptcy or re-marriage or on the forfeiture of the whole of such pension in accordance with the provisions of that sub-section.

Lapse of widow's pension.

(2.) If on such pension ceasing as aforesaid there are no children of the marriage of such widow with the contributor living and of pensionable age, such beneficiary shall be deemed to cease to exist and the pension payable to it shall lapse.

Pension to children on lapse of widow's pension.

(3.) If on such pension ceasing as aforesaid there are such children living and of pensionable age such pension shall be continued and paid to such children as hereinafter provided and such children shall be deemed to constitute a beneficiary within the meaning of this Ordinance.

Pensions to children.

15. Where a beneficiary consists of children of a contributor the pension payable to such beneficiary shall be at the same rate as the pension which their mother received or would have received if she had been alive and entitled to a pension, and shall be paid to such children in equal shares while they remain of pensionable age. When any of such children ceases to be of pensionable age his or her share of such pension shall be paid to the surviving children of pensionable age in equal shares and when the last surviving child of

pensionable age ceases to be of pensionable age such beneficiary shall be deemed to cease to exist and the pension payable to it shall lapse.

Who not entitled to pension.

16. (1) No widow of a contributor whose marriage with him is contracted after he has left the West African Service or has attained the age of 55, whichever of these events shall first happen, and no issue of such marriage shall be capable of constituting a beneficiary or become entitled to any pension under this Ordinance.

(2) No widow of a contributor whose husband dies within twelve calendar months of the marriage without issue of such marriage born in his life-time or in due time after his death, shall be capable of constituting a beneficiary or become entitled to any pension under this Ordinance; provided that the Crown Agents may with the approval of the Governor of the West African Colony or Protectorate in which the contributor last served, grant to such widow all or any part of the pension to which she would have been entitled but for the provisions of this sub-section.

Officers dismissed for misconduct not to rank for benefit.

17. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Ordinance no officer who is dismissed from the West African Service for misconduct shall be entitled to rank for benefit under this Ordinance whether by way of pension or return of contributions.

Pension when to commence and how payable.

18. All pensions payable under this Ordinance, shall commence upon the death of the contributor in respect of whom they are payable, shall accrue daily, and shall be payable monthly, provided that a pension may be payable quarterly instead of monthly if the pensioner so desires.

Allowance in lieu of pension to widow on bankruptcy.

19. If a widow's pension ceases in her life-time by reason of her bankruptcy, and there are no children of hers to whom such pension can be continued in accordance with Section 14 (3) hereof, the Crown Agents with the approval of the Governor of the West African Colony or Protectorate in which the contributor last served may, from time to time, during the remainder of her life, or during such shorter period or periods, either continuous or discontinuous, as shall be thought fit, pay to such widow an allowance at a rate not exceeding the rate of such pension; or may apply the same for the maintenance and personal support or benefit of, such widow, in such manner as the Crown Agents may, from time to time, think proper.

Pension not to be assigned or levied upon.

20. No pension payable under this Ordinance, and no rights of any contributor acquired thereunder shall be assignable or transferable, or liable to be attached, sequestered or levied upon, for, or in respect of, any debt or claim whatsoever.

Payment of pension to persons acting on behalf of minors in case of desertion

21. If the widow of a contributor while in receipt of a pension ceases to assist, deserts or abandons a child of hers by the contributor whom she is bound by law to maintain and who is of a pensionable age, the Crown Agents may, in their discretion, pay to a fit and proper

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person on behalf of such child, such portion of the pension as they may think fit and the widow shall have no further claim in respect of such portion.

Discretion as to payment of minor's pensions.

22. In all cases where under this Ordinance the parties entitled to pensions are minors, such pensions may be paid, either to the legal guardian, or guardians, of such minors, or to such minors or to such person or persons as the Crown Agents may, in their absolute descretion, think fit and proper persons to apply the same for the benefit of such minors, and after such payment, the Crown Agents and this Government shall be free from all responsibility in respect of such payment.

Proof of title may be required before payment of pension.

23. The Crown Agents may require such proof as they deem desirable that any person claiming to be entitled to pension, or on behalf of whom such claim is made, is alive and entitled to pension; and the payment of any pension may be refused until such proof is furnished to the satisfaction of the Crown Agents.

Increases of contributions.

24. Increases of contributions shall rank as if they were fresh entrances at the respective ages of husband and wife when the increase takes place.

Contributions may continue in full if salary reduced.

25. If the salary of a contributor be reduced so that he comes under a lower scale of contribution under section 5, he may upon giving notice in writing to the Crown Agents of his desire to do so continue to contribute at the rate formerly paid, in which case his widow or children shall be entitled to pension accordingly, but if his rate of contribution be reduced any pension to his widow or children shall be reduced in the same proportion as it would have been increased had his rate of contribution been raised instead of lowered.

Half contributions of contributors dying in or leaving the West African Service without beneficiaries to be refunded.

26. If a contributor being.

(*a*) a bachelor, or

(*b*) a widower without children of a pensionable age. leaves or dies in the West African Service, there shall be payable to him or his legal representatives in case (*a*) one half of his total contributions without interest and in case (*b*) one half (without interest) of the contributions which he has paid since the death of his last wife or the ceasing to be of a pensionable age of his last child, whichever event shall have last happened.

Contributor of pensionable standing leaving West African Service married or widower with pensionable children.

27. If a contributor in the Service of this Government who is married or who is a widower with children of a pensionable age retires on pension or is transferred to other Service under the Crown not being West African Service or otherwise leaves the West African Service, before his contribution term has expired, and his service is of such a nature and of such length as would have rendered him eligible for a pension if he had been retired from the West African Service on Medical Certificate, he may continue to contribute at the rate at which he was contributing immediately before he left the West African Service, in

which case if he is a pensioner his contributions shall be deducted from his pension. Or he may on, or at any time after, so leaving the West African Service cease to contribute. If he so ceases to contribute, any pension payable on his death shall be reduced so as to correspond with the payments he has made; or, if in the meantime (*a*) in the case of a married contributor, his wife has died and his children if any have ceased to be of a pensionable age, or (*b*) in the case of a widower his children have ceased to be of a pensionable age, he shall cease to rank for benefit under this Ordinance whether by way of pension or return of contributions.

Contributors not of pensionable standing married or widower without children

28. If a contributor who is married or who is a widower with children of a pensionable age and whose service is not of such a nature or is not of such length as would render him eligible for a pension if retired from the West African Service on Medical Certificate dies in the West African Service, any pension that may become payable on his death shall be at the rate of four-fifths of the amount given by the Pension Tables; and pension at the same rate shall be granted if such contributor, having left the West African Service on retirement, transfer or otherwise dies within a period dating from the day of his leaving the service and equal to one-third of the number of complete months during which he contributed; but such a contributor shall not be eligible to continue to contribute after he has left the West African Service; and, if he is alive on the expiration of the period above mentioned, he shall cease to be entitled to rank for benefit under this Ordinance whether by way of pension or return of contributions.

Periodical revision of Pension Tables.

29. The Pension Tables may be revised from time to time after an investigation by an Actuary appointed by the Secretary of State. Such investigations shall take place at such dates as the Secretary of State may from time to time determine, being not less than 10 years from the date when the scheme first came into operation or from the date of the last investigation. If after such an investigation it is decided by the Secretary of State that revised Pension Tables shall be adopted, the new Pension Tables as approved by the Actuary shall be substituted for the Tables previously in force and shall come into force on a date which shall be previously notified in the Government Gazette and shall apply to any pension payable in respect of a contributor dying on or after that date, but not to any pension payable in respect of a contributor dying before that date.

Questions and disputes to be decided by the Governor.

30. All questions and disputes as to who is entitled to be deemed a contributor, or as to the right of a widow or child to a pension, or as to the amount of such pension, or as to the rights or liabilities of any person under this Ordinance, shall be referred by the Crown Agents to the Governor of the West African Colony in which the European Officer concerned is serving or last served, and the Governor's decision shall be binding and conclusive on all parties, and shall be final to all intents and purposes, and shall not be subject to appeal or to be questioned or revised by any Court of Justice.

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Cost of Management of Scheme.

31. This Government shall bear such proportion, as the Secretary of State may from time to time determine, of the cost of the management of the Scheme including the amount of any expenditure incurred by the directions of the Secretary of State for actuarial advice or investigations in connection with the Scheme.

Rules and Regulations.

32. Subject to the approval of the Secretary of State first obtained, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, from time to time, to frame rules and regulations, not inconsistent herewith, for the proper carrying out of the provisions of this Ordinance, and from time to time to repeal, alter or vary the same.

Schedule A.

PENSION TABLES.

Schedule B.

† INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE USE OF THE PENSION TABLES.

† When printing the Instructions as a Schedule to the Ordinance the foot note at the beginning should read "In the case of contributors who fall under section 28....."

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Addition to G. S. O. No. 6. Para. 1.

ANNUAL INCREMENTS OF SALARY.

1. (*a*) An increment is an increase of salary of specified amount which, provided certain conditions are satisfied, is granted at regular intervals until a maximum is reached. The conditions may be merely (as in most cases) that the work and conduct of the officer during the past year (or other incremental period) have been satisfactory. But there may be a further condition, viz: that an officer must obtain some specific qualification, such as passing a language test or other examination. In the former case, the increment is withheld as a disciplinary measure: in the latter case, the increment is refused primarily because until the officer has obtained the qualification he is not regarded as worth more than the salary which he is drawing, and until he has qualified the incremental scale must be regarded as in abeyance.

(*b*) Accordingly when payment of increments is resumed after a stoppage caused by failure to obtain a required qualification, he is eligible for one increment only as from the date of qualification. For example, supposing that an officer on the scale of £300—15—400 is due for his first increment on the 1st January, 1911, but does not pass the necessary examination until 1st June, 1912. He would be granted his first increment on 1st June, 1912. On 1st June, 1913, he would, if his work and conduct had been satisfactory, reach £330.

(*c*) If on the other hand the increment due on 1st January, 1911, was withheld for disciplinary reasons, and if the certificate of good and diligent conduct (on which the grant of an increment depends) were not forthcoming, on the 1st of January, 1912, or if the gravity of his original offence were such that it was considered advisable to withhold more than one increment, he would not be eligible for an increment till the 1st January, 1913. The number of increments which he might be granted on 1st January, 1913, would depend on the the gravity of his original offence and the nature of his subsequent behaviour. He might be given only one increment, and this would be all that the Head of his Department would have power to give; he might with the approval of the Governor be given two increments so as to receive £330 during 1913; or he might, if the Governor thought fit, have his salary for 1913 increased to the amount at which it would have stood during that year if he had received his increments regularly, *i.e.* to £345.

(*d*) In neither case, however, would the officer be paid arrears of increments, in respect of 1911 and 1912. The only case in which increments once refused can properly be restored with retrospective effect is when the Governor finds that the original decision to suspend or withhold the increments was unjust and it is accordingly desired to place the officer in the same position as if that decision had not been taken.

H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Approved. F. D. LUGARD.
22nd August, 1913.

634 Customs Code Amendment.

Delete Code Paragraphs 226*d* and 226*e* and substitute the following:—

226*d*. Arms or Ammunition brought into Nigeria by persons proceeding through Northern Nigeria to places beyond British Territory are to be deposited in the Public Warehouse. A Licence to withdraw such Arms or Ammunition is to be issued on payment of a shilling stamp, which is to be affixed to the counterfoil of the Licence. Licensees are to be informed that they must give up their licences and account for their weapons at the last Provincial Headquarters through which they pass before leaving Northern Nigeria.

226*e*. At the end of each quarter a return is to be rendered to the Registrar of Arms, through the Chief Secretary, Zungeru, showing what Licenses to bear arms have been issued with detailed descriptions of the weapons etc.

635 Tide Pole Return Niger River.

FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 1913.

Station.	Baro.		Lokoja.	
Week ending.	Rise.	Fall.	Rise	Fall
Readings on:—	ft. in.	ft. in	ft. in.	ft. in.
7th	4 4	Nil.	2 3	Nil.
14th	1 7	... 2	... 9	Nil.
21st	1 9	... 6	3 0	Nil.
28th	1 2	...10	1 8	Nil.
29th, 30th 31st. ...	Nil.	... 7	Nil.	... 5
Total ...	8 10	2 1	7 8	... 5
Total Rise in previous month August.	6 10	Nil.	5 9	Nil.

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Auction of Plots at Kano.

(2ND NOTICE.)

NOTICE is hereby given that certain building plots in the European reservation of the Township at Kano and certain other building plots in the Native reservation will be put to public auction on 10th November, 1913.

Full particulars regarding the conditions, time, etc., of sale may be had on application to the Resident Kano.

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WITH reference to the notice on page 219 of Gazette No. 15 of 1912, His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that the operation of the Treaty of Commerce, Friendship and Navigation between the Republic of Honduras and Great Britain, has been extended for two years until the 6th of April 1915.

By His Excellency's Command,
H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru. Northern Nigeria,
31st October, 1913.

Appointments and Assumption of Duty.

	Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
638	Mr. Samuel Richard James Kingston ...	Surveyor	Surveys ...	26th Sept. 1913 ..	12th October 1913
	Dr. William Everard Sherard Digby ...	Medical Officer	Medical ...	1st Oct „ ...	17th October „
	Dr. John Walter Barron Hanington ...	do.	do. ...	do. ...	do.
	Lieut. Andrew Knox Rickards ...	Assistant Comissioner of Police ...	Police ...	do. ...	do.
	NATIVE STAFF				
	Mr. Daniel Gerard Duker	Learner	Chief Secretary's ...	1st April „ ...	Engaged locally.
	Mr. Evans Kwesie Quacoe ...	do.	do. ...	1st June „ ...	do.
	Odo	Interpreter	Agriculture ...	1st Oct. „ ...	do

639 **Acting Appointment.**

Name.	Department.	To act as	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. A. H. D. Paul ...	Political & Administrative ...	Cantonment Magistrate (Zungeru) ...	21st October 1913.	—

640 **Promotions.**

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
Mr. P. A. Anderson ...	Assistant Engineer	District Engineer (2nd Grade) ...	Public Works ...	1st April 1912.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. E. K. Quacoe	Learner, Chief Secretary's	2nd Class Clerk	Mines	16th Sept. 1913.
Mr. D. G. Duker	do.	do.	Political and Administrative	29th Sept. 1913.

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Resignation.

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. H. M. Frewen	Assistant Resident	Political & Administrative ...	14th August 1913.	

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Hausa Examination.

Under the Provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Standard.	Date of pass.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. G. A. Williams	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	Colloquial Test ...	17th September 1913.

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Leave of Absence.

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months.	Vacation. Days.	Return. Months.	Return. Days.	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Mr. J. Noel Smith ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	15th Oct. 1913	—	Full salary.
Mr. J. W. Vincent ...	Male Nurse, Medical	— ...	50 ...	— ...	50 ...	do.	—	do.
Mr. M. P. Porch	3rd Class Resident	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	16th Oct. 1913.	do.
Capt. T. W. P. Dyer ...	do.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. C. K. Meek	Assistant Resident	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. D. Greig	do.	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Dr. H. A. Foy	Junior Sanitary Officer	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. H. J. Chapman ...	Inspector of Works (1st Grade) P.W.D. ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Miss F. Jaques	Nurse, Medical	2 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	22nd Oct. 1913	—	do.
Mr. J. Stewart	Assistant Accountant P.W.D. ...	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	do.	—	do.
Mr. H. C. Hall	3rd Class Resident	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	23rd Oct. 1913	do.
Mr. C. E. Boyd	Assistant Resident	2 ...	60 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Capt. A. G. Uniake, D.S.O. ...	Commissioner of Police	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Invalided.								
Mr. P. A. Anderson ..	District Engineer, P.W.D.	— ...	55 ...	— ...	55 ...	22nd Oct. 1913	—	do.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. J. Godfrey Morgan ...	Chief Clerk, Treasury ...	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	1st Oct. 1913	—	Full Salary. Accra.
Mr. S. A. Adene	1st Class Clerk & Operator ...	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	—	(Full salary. (Local with effect (from 25th September.
Mr. I. J. Williams ...	2nd Class Compositor & Machine Printer	— ...	52 ...	— ...	— ...	—	—	(Without salary. From 3rd Aug. (to 23rd September 1913.
Mr. W. C. Daniels ...	1st Class Clerk, Chief Secretary's Office	— ...	42 ...	— ...	— ...	—	2nd Oct. 1913.	Full salary. Cape Coast.

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464 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Mr. E. A. Weston	2nd Assistant Secretary	Chief Secretary's	17th October 1913.	
Mr. H. L. Norton-Trail	3rd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	24th October 1913	
Mr. Y. Kirkpatrick	Assistant Resident	do.	do.	
Mr. P. R Diggle	do.	do.	do.	
Dr. R. H. Nolan	Medical Officer	Medical	do.	
Dr. F. W. Chesnaye	do.	do.	do.	
Mr. J. S. Brown	District Engineer	Public Works	do.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. R. B. Browne	2nd Class Compositor & Machine Printer	Printing	1st October 1913	
Mr. E. A. Williams	1st Class Clerk	Medical	24th September 1913.	

645 **Extension of Leave.**

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Dr. M. W. Manuk ...	Medical Officer	1 month ...	20th Sept. 1913	19th Oct. 1913	Half salary. Ill-health.

WEST AFRICAN FRONTIER FORCE.

646 **Leave of Absence.**

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Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Major S. J. B. Barnardiston, D. S. O.	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	16th Oct. 1913	Full salary.
Capt. J. T. Gibbs	M. I., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	do. ...	do.
Lieut. G. E. Barclay ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	22nd Oct. 1913	— ...	do.
Lieut. H. C. Bridges ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	23rd Oct. 1913	do.
BRITISH N.C.O.								
Colour Sergt. D. Taylor ..	M. I., N. N. Regt.	— ...	45 ...	— ...	45 ...	— ...	23rd Oct. 1913	do.

647 **Resumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Captain C. F. S. Maclaverty	Battery Commander	Artillery, N. N. Regt.	17th October 1913.
Captain J. G. Gordon	Company Commander	2nd Bn., N .N. Regt.	do.
BRITISH N. C. O.			
Sergeant A. C. Coveney	1st Rating Sergeant	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	24th October 1913.

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648 Supplementary List of Spirit Licences issued during the year 1913.

No. of Licence.	Province.	Station.	To whom issued.	Amount.	Remarks.
7/24	Nigerian Railway Restaurant Car.	—	Messrs. John Holt & Coy.	£25	—

T. B. PHILIPS,
Acting Treasurer

The Treasury,
Zungeru,
21st October 1913.

(FORM B.)

649 NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

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Alterations.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect
Advertising Matter Sign Boards, Posters etc.	Unclassified.	1 Class.	26	
Grass, Country.	do.	1 Class.		
Tins, Empty,	do.	1 Class.		
Iron Manufactured or unmanufactured not otherwise specified.	do.	1 Class.		

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Alterations.

Detail.	As per published Tariff	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
Page 80 of Goods Tariff. Second Foot-note to para. (a)	All Station between Kano and Zaria to Minna and Zungeru and *vice versa*—20/- per ton.	All Stations between Kano and Zaria to Minna and Zungeru and Rahama and *vice versa*—20/- per ton	22.	27th October 1913.

By Order,

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
17th May, 1913.

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Alterations.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now Amended.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.	
Page 65 of Goods Tariff.	Firewood from Birnin Yaro to Zaria 1st Class (see para. 37) page 45 of Tariff	(1/- per truck per mile) 26/-	32	17th May 1913.	
Page 69 of Goods Tariff.	Firewood from Gimi Dabosa to Zaria 1st Class see para 37 page 45 of Tariff.	(1/- per truck per mile) 21/-	32	Do.	

By, Order,

F. H. WALLER
Acting General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
23rd May, 1913.

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Alterations.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rate Circular No.	Date to have effect.
Page 75 of Goods Tariff	Carts on wheels.	*Carts on wheels.*— When a whole truck is used the minimum charge will be as for three tons.		
Page 75 of Goods Tariff	Carts in packages.	*Carts in packages.*— When a whole truck is used the minimum charge will be as for three tons.	39	27th Oct. 1913.
Page 100 of Goods Tariff	Oil Cocoanut I. Class.	*Oil, Cocoanut*— See Cocoanut, II. Class.		
Page 117 of Goods Tariff	Wine Sparkling II. Class.	Wine Sparkling III. Class.		
Page 74 of Goods Tariff	Unclassified.	Building Material not otherwise specified. II. Class.		
Page 77 of Goods Tariff	do.	Cocoanut Shells. I. Class.		
Page 88 of Goods Tariff	do.	*Furniture—School,* except Mathematical, Scientific, and other instruments, I. Class.		
Page 90 of Goods Tariff	do.	*Gowns—Native.* (As Wearing Apparel.) III. Class.	40	27th Oct. 1913.
Page 90 of Goods Tariff	do.	*Gramaphone Records.*— (As Musical Instruments.) III. Class.		
Page 100 of Goods Tariff	do.	*Native Gowns.*— (As Wearing Apparel.) III Class.		
Page 100 of Goods Tariff	do.	Oakum I. Class.		
Page 109 of Goods Tariff	do.	Sacking. I. Class.		
Page 110 of Goods Tariff	do.	Shell, Cocoa Nut. I. Class.		
Page 110 of Goods Tariff	do.	Shells, not otherwise specified. II. Class.		

General Manager's Office,
Ebute Metta,
5th July, 1913.

By Order,
F. H. WALLER,
Ag. General Manager.

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Alterations.

Detail.	As per published Tariff.	As now amended.	Rates Circular No.	Date to have effect.
Page 77 of goods Tariff.	Cocoanut, in bags, loose, or in bunches I Class with terminal charge of 2/6 at Iddo Station.	Cocoanut, in bags, loose, or in bunches A class with terminal charge of 1/3d. at Iddo Station.	45	27th Oct. 1913.

17th July, 1913.

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The attention of the Public is called to the following alterations and additions to the Railway Tariff as published on October 15th, 1912, which have been duly authorised by the Director of Railways and Works and approved by the Governor under Proclamation No. 9 of 1912, section 2, of Northern Nigeria and which are now published as detailed.

Alterations.

Page 46 of Goods Tariff. Livestock.	Cattle are charged for at the rate of 6d. per wagon per mile minimum charge £2.	To be added High sided bogie wagons will be charged @ 9d. per mile minimum £3.	46	27th Sept. 1913.
Page 50 of Goods Tariff. Para 47.	In the case of goods loaded by the consignor which cannot be counted by the Railway Staff the goods receipt granted will be for a wagon or wagons "said to contain" and no responsibility will be accepted for quantities or condition of the articles.	To be added:— "This rule will apply to consignments loaded from Merchants sheds on siding plots."	47	27th Oct. 1913.

By Order,

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Ebute-Metta,
20th July 1913.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 6th September 1913.

PERIOD	COACHING. Public.	COACHING. Govt.	GOODS. Public.	GOODS. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 6th September 1913	1,970	403	7,425	1,330	22	630	11,780
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,916	202	6,375	1,117	18	7	9,635
Increase ...	54	201	1,050	213	4	623	2,145
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	76,024	11,842	328,791	44,452	761	1,516	463,386
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	65,977	11,595	217,384	40,745	715	1,436	337,852
Increase ...	10,047	247	111,407	3,707	46	80	125,534
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Estimated Revenue for the year 1913 ... £543,000
Proportionate Estimate for period
1st January to 6th September £370,430
Amount actually realised £463,386
Excess Earnings over Estimate £92,956

Mileage Open 926
Mean Mileage Worked 926
Average Receipts per mean mile £12·72.

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

PARTICULARS.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba-North to Beji 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria-Jengre 103 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,911	121	280	61	2,373
Goods	5,629	62	2,769	295	8,755
Telegraph	16	—	2	4	22
Sundries	623	—	4	3	630
Total for Week	8,179	183	3,055	363	11,780
Total for current year ...	319,119	7,993	97,354	38,920	463,386
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	263,825	12,465	52,421	9,141	337,852
Increase	55,294	—	44,933	29,779	125,534
Decrease	—	4,472	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	411	816	65	38	1,330	For the Week 91
Total for current year ...	9,076	32,214	2,883	279	44,452	Total for current year 2,320
Corresponding period of 1912	5,266	25,334	1,968	8,177	40,745	Corresponding period of 1912 1,892
Increase ...	3,810	6,880	915	—	3,707	Increase 428
Decrease ...	—	—	—	7,898	—	Decrease —

Ebute Metta,
25th September, 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Actg. Chief Accountant.

F. H. WALLER,
Actg. General Manager

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 13th September, 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING. Public.	COACHING. Govt.	GOODS. Public.	GOODS. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 13th Sept. 1913	1,957	229	7,899	2,230	19	352	12,686
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,043	428	6,491	1,195	17	44	10,218
Increase ...	—	—	1,408	1,035	2	308	2,468
Decrease ...	86	199	—	—	—	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	77,981	12,071	336,690	46,682	780	1,868	476,072
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	68,020	12,023	223,875	41,940	732	1,480	348,070
Increase ...	9,961	48	112,815	4,742	48	388	128,002
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Estimated Revenue for the year 1913 ... £543,000
Proportionate Estimate for period
1st January to 13th Sept. £380,844
Amount actually realised £476,072
Excess Earnings over Estimate ... £95,228

Mileage Open 926
Mean Mileage Worked ... 926
Average Receipts per mean mile £13·7

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba-North to Beji 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria-Jengre 103 miles.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,478	158	437	113	2,186
Goods	6,878	101	2,864	286	10,129
Telegraph	16	1	1	1	19
Sundries	336	—	5	11	352
Total for Week	8,708	260	3,307	411	12,686
Total for current year ...	327,827	8,253	100,662	39,330	476,072
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	271,059	13,054	54,396	9,561	348,070
Increase	56,768	—	46,266	29,769	128,002
Decrease	—	4,801	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	441	867	202	720	2,230	For the Week 64
Total for current year ...	9,517	33,081	3,085	999	46,682	Total for current year .. 2,384
Corresponding period of 1912	5,357	26,245	2,142	8,196	41,940	Corresponding period of 1912... 1,954
Increase ...	4,160	6,836	943	—	4,742	Increase ... 430
Decrease ...	—	—	—	7,197	—	Decrease .. —

Ebute Metta,
2nd October, 1913.

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant

ALEX. WOODBURN,
for Acting General Manager.

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NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Traffic Statement for the week ending 20th September 1913.

PERIOD.	COACHING		GOODS.		Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	TOTAL.
	Public.	Govt.	Public.	Govt.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 20th Sept. 1913 ...	2,115	223	7,749	1,293	18	20	11,418
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	1,948	296	5,454	1,198	17	26	8,939
Increase ...	167	...	2,295	95	1	...	2,479
Decrease ...	...	73	...	...	...	6	...
Total for current year to date ...	80,096	12,294	344,439	47,975	798	1,888	487,490
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	69,968	12,319	229,329	43,138	749	1,506	357,009
Increase ...	10,128	...	115,110	4,837	49	382	130,481
Decrease ...	...	25	...	...	...	...	...

Estimated Revenue for the year 1913 ... £543,000
Proportionate Estimate for period 1st January to 20th September ... £391,258
Amount actually realised ... £487,490
Excess earnings over Estimate ... £ 96,232

Mileage Open 926.
Mean Mileage Worked 926.
Average Receipts per mean mile £12· 33

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Ido-Jebba South 306 miles.	Jebba North to Eyi 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles.	Zaria to Jengre 103 miles.	TOTAL
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching ...	1,645	141	428	124	2,338
Goods ...	5,519	36	3,476	10	9,041
Telegraph ...	13	1	1	3	18
Sundries ...	16	...	3	1	20
Total for week ...	7,193	178	3,908	138	1 1,417
Total for current year ...	335,021	8,430	104,570	39,469	487,490
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	277,262	13,395	56,371	9,981	357,009
Increase ...	57,759	...	48,199	29,488	130,481
Decrease ...	...	4,965	...	...	...

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	TOTAL.	TRAMWAY.	
	£	£	£	£	£		£
Total for the Week ...	220	931	139	3	1,293	For the week	60
Total for current year ...	9,737	34,012	3,224	1,002	47,975	Total for current year ...	2,443
Corresponding period of 1912	5,470	27,163	2,269	8,236	43,138	Corresponding period of 1912	1,998
Increase ...	4,267	6,849	955	...	4,837	Increase	445
Decrease ...	...	...	...	7,234	...	Decrease	...

Ebute Metta,
9th October, 1913

F. H. DERRIMAN,
Acting Chief Accountant

F. H. WALLER,
Acting General Manager

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NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 40.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 13TH OCTOBER, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL 8th October:—

Sergts. O. T. Spaxman, A. C. Coveney, N. N. R., Mr. H. L. Norton-Traill, 3rd Class Resident, Messrs Y. Kirkpatrick, P. R. Diggle, Assistant Residents, Drs. R. H. Nolan, F. W. Chesnaye, Medical Officers, Mr. J. S. Brown, District Engineer, P.W.D.

SAILINGS; BURUTU 8th October.

Sergt. J. Moore, Staff Sergeant, Medical.

LAGOS 9th October:—

Sir E. A. Speed, Kt., Chief Justice.

12TH OCTOBER, (WOERMAN LINE):—

Mr. F. Le. C. Belmar, Assistant Treasurer.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 10th October:—

Mr. F. W. M. Burr, Assistant. Engineer, P. W. D., Dr. B. A. Percival, Medical Officer, Major H. D. Larymore, 2nd Class Resident, Messrs H. A. Prankerd, H. H. Middleton, Assistant Residents, Mr. G. F. Price ,Assistant Treasurer, Dr. M. C. Blair, Senior Sanitary Officer.

His Honour the Deputy Governor Mr. H. S. Goldsmith, C.M.G., left for Lagos to meet H.E. the Governor on the 7th instant and returned to Zungeru on the 11th.

NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 41.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 22ND OCTOBER, 1913.

SAILINGS; DOVER, 11th October:—

Lieut. C. Luxford, N.N.R.

LIVERPOOL, 15TH October:—

Lieut. D. W. Pawle, Orderly Room Sergeant, S. J. Cole, Colour Sergeant, A. E. Jones, Sergt., A. Tobitt, N.N.R., Drs. W. B. Johnson, W. G. Cobb, L. Doudney, Medical Officers, Sergeant E. A. Lane, Sergt. Medical, Mr. W. F. Gowers, 1st Class Resident, Mr. S. M. Grier, 3rd Class Resident, Messrs H. B. Herman-Hodge, S. H. P. Vereker, Assistant Residents, Mr. R. C. Andrew, Asst. Superintendent of Agriculture, Mr. J. Radcliff, Asst. Commissioner of Police.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 15th October:—

Mr. J. Noel-Smith, Asst. Resident, Mr. J. W. Vincent, Male Nurse, Medical.

LAGOS; 16th October:—

Major S. J. B. Barnardiston, D.S.O., Captain J. T. Gibbs, N.N.R., Captain T. W. P. Dyer, Mr. M. P. Porch, 3rd Class Residents, Messrs C. K. Meek, D. Greig, Assistant Residents, Dr. H. A. Fox, Junior Sanitary Officer, Mr. H. J. Chapman, Inspector of Works, 1st grade, Public Works Department.

ARRIVALS:—LAGOS, 12th October, (German Mail):—

Mr. S. R. J. Kingston, Surveyor.

17th October:—

Drs. W. E. S. Digby, J. W. B. Hanington, Medical Officers, Lieut. A. K. Rickards, Asst. Commissioner of Police, Captains C. F. S. Maclaverty, J. G. Gordon, N.N.R., Mr. E. A. Weston, 2nd Assistant Secretary.

POSTINGS:—Hodge Bornu, Vereker Yola, Grier Ibadan, Gowers Kano, Radcliff Naraguta.

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No. 20. **EXTRAORDINARY.**

Vol. XIV. MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1913.

Government Notice.

The Forestry Proclamation.
(No. 9 of 1910 Schedule, Chapter 62 Section 19.)

The following addition is made at the end of Regulation 1 in the second Schedule to the Proclamation:—

"E.—To collect Rubber. Fee payable as follows:

(*a*) by a member of a Native Community of the Province. . . . . .10/6.

(*b*) by any person other than a member of a Native Community of the Province. . . . . £1.

By His Excellency's Command,
H. S. GOLDSMITH,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
10th November, 1913.

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No. 21. **EXTRAORDINARY.**

Vol. XIV. FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1913.

Government Notice.

His Excellency the Governor and Staff left Zungeru for Lagos on the 13th instant.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
14th November, 1913.

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VOL. XIV. SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1913. NO. 21.

Government Notices.

658 Muri-Central Boundary.

THE boundary between Muri and Central Provinces has been altered and demarked as follows:—

Commencing at the Western end of the boundary already demarcated namely at Cairn W. IV on the Southern point of D. Gouglit. the boundary runs on a bearing of 251° through the Jigawa bush for 2½ miles to Cairn W. 5 erected on the South Spur of Pan Kwup. From Cairn W. 5 on a bearing of 275° for a distance of 650 yards to Cairn W. 6.

From Cairn W. 6 on a bearing 270° for a distance of 2,000 yards to a point above the village of Let on the shoulder of Kapayr (altitude 2,000 feet) to Cairn W. 7. From Cairn W. 7 across a ravine on a bearing of 227° to Cairn W. 8 (altitude 2,400 feet) a point on the South of the Buhl Hills from thence West of D. Mudoot following the course of the river Ampiers to Cairn W. 9,300 yards North the confluence on the smaller rivers Yilku and Runsun with the river Ampiere (altitude 1,600 feet). From Cairn W. 9 on a bearing of 285° for a distance of ¾ of a mile to Cairn W. 10 on a spur of the Zwal Hills by the side of the road Kwunun to Zwal.

From Cairn W. 10 the boundary runs to the foot of the ridge on a bearing of 190° to Cairn W. 11 on the left bank of the river Runsun; then on a bearing of 275° for a distance of 600 yards to Cairn W. 12.

From Cairn W. 12 following the valley between Zwal and Bogolong on a bearing of about 255° to Cairn W. 13; then on a bearing of 262° for a distance of 750 yards to Cairn W. 14; then on a bearing of 272° 30' for a distance of 1,200 yards to Cairn W. 15.

The boundary from Cairn W. 15 descends to the valley of the river Li; on a bearing of 248° for a distance of 820 yards to Cairn W. 16 on the right bank of which it is erected.

From Cairn W. 16 the centre of the river Li forms the division between the two Provinces for a distance of 6½ miles to Cairn W. 17 at the foot of D. Gir the boundary then follows to the crest of D. Gir along Gir II and the top of the Lawn Hills where at the end of the range it decends to the plain in a straight line to the Western Cairn on the Dep river. At which point the three Provinces of Muri, Central and Nassarawa meet.

All bearings in the above description are magnetic.

659 Customs Code Amendment.

Delete paragraph 389*e* and substitute the following:—

389*e*. Rent shall not be charged on packages deposited in the Warehouse at Burutu awaiting shipment up river if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector that means for transport have not been available, and in any case rent shall be charged only when such packages have been stored for over a fortnight.

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COPIES of a Pamphlet entitled "Distribution of Mosquitoes in West Africa" which has been drawn up by the Imperial Bureau of Entomology, have been received and can be obtained on application at the Chief Secretary's Office.

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Doctors W. B. Johnson and J. M. Dalziel have been seconded for special investigation work under the Yellow Fever (West Africa) Commission.

662 Extracts from London Gazette.

THE following extracts from the London Gazette are published for information:—

Gazette dated 12th September, 1913.

MEMORANDA.

* * *

Lieutenant William T. McG. Bate, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), is granted the local rank of Captain, whilst employed with the West African Frontier Force. Dated 4th July, 1913.

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Gazette dated 16th September, 1913.

MEMORANDA

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The following notification which appeared in the Gazette of the 2nd September, 1913, is cancelled:—

Second Lieutenant Osmund T. Frith, Royal Artillery, is granted the local rank of Lieutenant, whilst employed with the West African Frontier Force. Dated 6th August, 1913.

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663 Errata.

Notice No. 526 Gazette No. 17 of 1913 the date of appointment to the Police Department of Mr. G. G. Pomeroy is 21st June 1913 and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 582 Gazette No. 18 of 1913, the extension of leave granted to Mr. S. M. Grier, has been cancelled at his own request.

Notice No. 584 Gazette No. 18 of 1913, the date of retirement on pension of Dr. J. P. Fagan is 8th of October 1912 and not as stated therein.

Notice No. 271 Gazette No. 9 of 1912, the date of departure from Buturu on leave of Mr. H. C. Hall is 15th May 1912, and not as stated therein.

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In the matter of the Estate of the late Lieut. J. W. E. Boulderson 1st Battalion, Northern Nigeria Regiment (Deceased).

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Lieut. J. W. E. Boulderson 1st Battalion, Northern Nigeria Regiment deceased, who died in England on the 15th day of July 1913, are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims or demands to Captain W. J. Maule, 1st Battalion Northern Nigeria Regiment, at Katagum, on or before the 30th day, of November 1913.

665 Obituary.

HIS Excellency the Governor deeply regrets to announce the death of Squadron Sergt. Major (local Sergt. Major) B. N. Ingham, 3rd (Prince of Wales's) Dragoon Guards, and Mounted Infantry Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, which occurred at Kano on the 13th October, 1913.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. L. TEMPLE,
Chief Secretary.

The Chief Secretary's Office,
Zungeru, Northern Nigeria,
15th November, 1913.

666 Appointments and Assumption of Duty.

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
NATIVE STAFF				
Mr. Patrick Dunzo Ajufo ...	Learner ...	Chief Secretary's ...	1st July 1913 ...	Engaged locally.
Garuba Muri	Interpreter ...	Police ...	12th Oct. " ...	do.

667 Termination of Acting Appointment.

Name.	Acting Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Dr. F. W. McCay	Senior Medical Officer ...	Medical	26th September 1913.	

668 Termination of Appointment.

Name	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. W. R. B. Smith ...	2nd Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	30th September 1913.	

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Promotion.

Name.	Appointment.	Promoted to.	Department.	With effect from.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. P. D. Ajufo	Learner, Chief Secretary's	2nd Class Clerk	Political and Administrative	1st October 1913.

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Transfers.

Name.	Appointment.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
Mr. S. M. Grier	3rd Class Resident	Southern Nigeria ...	District Commissioner (2nd Grade) ...	31st October 1913.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. R. E. N. Quartey ...	2nd Class Clerk, Political and Adminstrative	Chief Secretary's Office	2nd Class Clerk	29th September ,,

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Hausa Examination.

Under the Provisions contained in G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Mr. M. P. Porch	3rd Class Resident	Political & Administrative ...	Higher Standard Final ...	11th October 1913.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. G. P. H. Lyall	1st Class Clerk and Operator ...	Post and Telegraphs ...	Colloquial Test ...	16th September 1913.

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Leave of Absence.

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified, in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff, from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Name.	Office.	Description of Leave.				Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
		Vacation.		Return.				
		Months.	Days.	Months.	Days.			
Mr. C. V. Boyle	Assistant Resident	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	29th Oct. 1913	—	Full salary.
Mr. J. E. Pick	Inspector of Works (2nd Grade) P.WD....	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	do.	—	do.
Mr. H. F. Backwell ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	30th Oct. 1913.	do.
Mr. R. N. Pike	do.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Dr. G. R. Twomey ...	Medical Officer	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Capt. A. E. Churcher ...	Assistant Resident	2 ...	10 ...	2 ...	— ...	5th Nov. 1913	—	do.
Mr. J. C. Walker	do.	2 ...	30 ...	2 ...	— ...	do.	—	do.
Mr. H. O. Lindsell ...	do.	2 ...	20 ...	2 ...	— ...	—	6th Nov. 1913	do.
Mr. R. Gregson Williams ...	Assistant Inspector of Mines ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	—	do.	do.
Mr. H. W. Langworthy ...	3rd Class Resident	4 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	—	do.	Half salary.
NATIVE STAFF.								
Mr. J. Amoo Yawson ...	1st Class Clerk, P.W.D.	3 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	15th Oct. 1913	—	Full salary. Secondee.

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Extension of Leave.

Name.	Office.	Period.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Dr. F. W. Chesnaye ..	Medical Officer	12 days ...	26th Sept. 1913	7th Oct. 1913.	Half salary. To complete course of study at the West London Post graduate College.
Major W. S. Sharpe, C.M.G. ...	2nd Class Resident	22 days ...	7th Oct. 1913.	28th Oct. 1913.	Half salary. Ill-health.
Mr. H. M. Irwin ...	3rd Assistant Secretary ...	1 week	22nd Oct. 1913	28th Oct. 1913	Full salary.

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674 **Resumption of Duty.**

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	Date of Resumption.	Remarks.
Mr. W. F. Gowers	1st Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	31st October 1913.	
Mr. S. H. P. Vereker	Assistant Resident	do.	do.	
Mr. H. B. Hermon-Hodge ...	do.	do.	do.	
Dr. L. Doudney	Medical Officer	Medical	do.	
Dr. W. G. Cobb	do.	do.	do.	
Sergt. E. A. Lane, R.A.M.C. ...	Sergeant	do.	do.	
Mr. J. Radcliff	Assistant Commissioner of Police ...	Police	do.	
Mr. R. C. Andrew	Assistant Superintendent of Agriculture	Agriculture	do.	
Mr. C. L. Temple, C.M.G. ...	Chief Secretary	Chief Secretary's	8th November 1913.	
Capt. C. F. Rowe	2nd Class Resident	Political and Administrative ...	9th November 1913.	
Mr. R. M. Blackwood ...	Assistant Resident	do.	do.	
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. J. S. Wilson	1st Class Clerk	Political & Administrative ...	24th October 1913.	
Mr. J. W. H. Lisk	do.	do.	do.	
Mr. J. T. E. Thompson ...	Storekeeper	Police	8th October 1913.	

675 **Permanent Staff.**

The following Native Officials, having completed three years service are placed on the Permanent Staff of the Protectorate from the dates stated against their names:—

Name.	Appointment.	Department.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Mr. J. Odoboh	2nd Class Compositor & Machine Printer ...	Printing	12th April 1909.	
Mr. J. A. Saba	1st Class Clerk	Public Works	1st July 1910.	

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676 **Appointment and Assumption of Duty.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit	Date of Appointment.	Date of Assumption of Duty.
NATIVE STAFF.				
Mr. Joseph Willie Abraham	Pay Clerk, 2nd Class ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	1st October 1913 ...	1st October 1913. (*Engaged locally*)

677 **Transfer.**

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Transferred to.	New Appointment.	With effect from.
BRITISH N.C.O.					
Sergeant F. Sparkes	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	1st Bn. N. N. Regt. ...	Mounted Infantry, N.N.R.	2nd Rating Sergeant ...	14th October 1913.

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Re-absorptions.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of reabsorption into British Regiment.	Remarks.
BRITISH N.C.Os.				
Colour Sergeant G. F. Furst	Colour Sergeant ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	23rd October 1913.	
Colour Sergeant H. W. Johnson	do.	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	29th October 1913.	

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Resignation.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	With effect from.	Remarks.
Captain G. C. Kelly	Company Commander ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt. ...	1st September 1913	

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Hausa Examination.

Under the provisions of G.S.O. No. 70, the undermentioned passed:—

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.
Lieut. A. F. Hordern	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	Colloquial Test ...	4th October 1913.
Lieut. R. J. R. Waller	Subaltern	Artillery, N N Regt.	do. ...	8th October 1913.
Lieut. A. W. Balders	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	do. ...	do.
Lieut. H. C Bridges	do.	do	do. ...	17th October 1913.

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Leave of Absence.

LEAVE has been granted to the undermentioned Officers from the date of the arrival at its first port of call in the United Kingdom, as regards Officers proceeding to England, of the steamer which left Burutu or Lagos on the dates mentioned, and for the period specified in the schedule below. As regards the Native Staff from the date of the arrival of the steamer at the port mentioned in the "Remarks" column.

Rank and Name.	Unit.	Description of Leave. Vacation. Months	Vacation. Days	Return. Months	Return. Days	Date on which steamer left Burutu.	Date on which Steamer left Lagos.	Remarks.
Major T. N. Puckle ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	29th Oct. 1913	— ...	Full salary.
„ J. B. Orr, D.S.O. ...	M. I., N. N. Regt.	4 ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	— ...	6th Nov. 1913	Half Salary.
Capt. E. J. Wolseley ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	do. ...	Full Salary.
Lieut. R. J. R. Waller ...	Subaltern A. N. N. Regiment ...	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	do. ...	do.
„ H. H. A. Cooke ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	—	2 ...	— ...	— ...	12th Nov. 1913	do.
„ F. C. Ferguson ...	do.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	do. ...	do.
BRITISH N.C.Os.								
Colour Sergt. R. Steed ..	2nd Bn. N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	29th Oct. 1913	— ...	Full Salary.
„ „ A. Warnock ...	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	30th Oct. 1913	do.
„ „ G. B. Putland ...	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt. ..	2 ...	— ...	2 ...	— ...	5th Nov. 1913	— ...	do.
Sergt. A. Kerry	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	2 ..	— ...	2 ...	— ...	— ...	6th Nov. 1913	do.

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Resumption of Duty.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Unit.	Date of Resumption.
Lieut. C. Luxford	Company Officer	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	28th October 1913.
„ D. W. Pawle	do.	2nd Bn., N .N. Regt.	31st October 1913.
BRITISH N. C. Os.			
Colour Sergt. A. E. Jones	Colour Sergeant	1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	do.
Orderly Room Sergeant S. J. Cole	Orderly Room Sergeant	2nd Bn., N. N. Regt.	do.

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English Examination.

Under the provisions of G. S. O. No. 52, para. 4, the undermentioned passed:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Unit.	Standard.	Date of pass.	Remarks.
	NATIVE SOLDIERS.				
No.	4333 Corporal Amadu Zaria	"Band" 1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	Lower Standard	Sept. 1913.	
"	5365 Lance Corpl. Audu Yema	do.	do.	do.	
"	4331 Bandsman Mona Bauchi	do.	do.	do.	
"	4332 " Zakare Kano	do.	do.	do.	
"	5819 " Audu Ibi	do.	do.	do.	
"	6304 Sergeant Ali Kano	"A" Coy., 1st Bn., N. N. Regt.	do.	do.	
"	6465 " Syhue	do.	do.	do.	
"	6306 Lance Sergt. Brimah Yaro	do.	do.	do.	
"	7074 Corporal Momadu Beibei	do.	do.	do.	
"	5920 " Musa Shefawa	do.	do.	do.	
"	6313 " Yakubu Zawta	do.	do.	do.	
"	6831 Lance Corpl. Esa Kano	do.	do.	do.	
"	6467 Private Maimomi	do.	do.	do.	
"	7115 " Sani	do.	do.	do.	

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Traffic Statement for the week ending 27th September, 1913.

Period.	Coaching. Public.	Coaching. Govt.	Goods. Public.	Goods. Govt.	Telegraph Earnings.	Sundries.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
For week ending 27th Sept. 1913	1,987	279	7,900	1,198	15	14	11,390
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	2,025	322	5,629	1,006	16	8	9,006
Increase ...	—	—	2,271	192	—	3	2,384
Decrease ...	38	43	—	—	1	—	—
Total for Current year to date ...	82,083	12,573	352,339	49,173	813	1,899	498,880
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	71,993	12,641	234,958	44,144	765	1,514	366,015
Increase ...	10,090	—	117,381	5,029	48	385	132,865
Decrease ...	—	68	—	—	—	—	—

Estimated Revenue for the year 1913 ... £543,000
Proportionate Estimate for period 1st January to 27th Sept. £401,671
Amount actually realised £498,880
Excess Earnings over Estimate ... £97,209

Mileage Open 926
Mean Mileage Worked ... 926
Average Receipts per mean mile £12·3

Analysis of Sectional Traffic.

Particulars.	Iddo-Jebba South 396 miles	Jebba North to Jeji 161 miles.	Kano-Baro 356 miles	Zaria-Jengre 103 miles.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
Coaching	1,598	147	439	82	2,266
Goods	5,955	159	2,328	656	9,098
Telegraph	12	—	1	2	15
Sundries	3	—	2	6	11
Total for Week	7,568	306	2,770	746	11,390
Total for current year ...	342,589	8,736	107,340	40,215	498,880
Corresponding period of 1912 ...	283,596	13,673	58,345	10,401	366,015
Increase	58,993	—	48,995	29,814	132,865
Decrease	—	4,937	—	—	—

Analysis of Government Goods Traffic.	General.	Harbour Works.	Water Works.	Railway Materials.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
Total for the Week ...	179	930	88	1	1,198
Total for current year ...	9,916	34,942	3,312	1,003	49,173
Corresponding period of 1912	5,548	28,067	2,269	8,260	44,144
Increase ...	4,368	6,875	1,043	—	5,029
Decrease ...	—	—	—	7,257	—

Tramway.	£
For the Week	61
Total for current year	2,504
Corresponding period of 1912	2,032
Increase ...	472
Decrease ..	—

Ebute Metta,
16th October, 1913.

H. C. TROUSDELL,
Chief Accountant

A. S. COOPER,
General Manager

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LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Deposits due by the Protectorate	63,005	14	11
Deposit Account N. N Native Reserve Funds per contra	28,885	16	2
Deposit Account Public Officers Guarantee Fund (including £1,000 per contra) ...	2,569	17	0
Combined Departments Account	9,052	12	8
Remittances in transit	2,940	5	9
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	95,797	12	5
	202,251	18	11

SURPLUS AND

Expenditure Account 1913	255,539	8	3
Excess of Assets over Liabilities, as above	95,797	12	5
	351,337	0	8

The Treasury,
Zungeru, 31st October, 1913.

Liabilities on 30th June 1913.

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Cash balance in the hands of Treasurer and Local Sub-Accountants	£ 83,746 11 5			
do. Crown Agents	49,974 17 9	133,721	9	2
Advances due by Baro-Kano Railway construction		608	5	0
do. (Sundry) due to the Protectorate		12,901	18	8
Imprests		748	1	9
Revenue Suspense Account		1,600	1	3
Unallocated Stores Suspense Account		22,786	6	11
Investments Northern Nigeria Native Reserve Funds ...		28,885	16	2
do. Public Officers Guarantee Fund		1,000	0	0
		202,251	18	11

DEFICIT ACCOUNT.

Asset Balance 31st December 1912	143,137	7	2
Revenue Account 1913	208,199	13	6
	351,337	0	8

T. B. PHILLIPS,
Acting Treasurer.

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686 **Monthly Meteorological Return.**

PLACE OF OBSERVATION	TEMPERATURE. Highest in the Shade.	Lowest in the Shade.	Mean.	Greatest Diurnal Variation.	Mean relative Humidity 8 a.m.	RAINFALL. Total.	Maximum on one day.	Daily average.	No. of days on which rain fell.	Prevailing Wind.	OBSERVER
SEPTEMBER.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.			
Zungeru - -	93	66	78·6	21	80	6·65	1·05	·22	21	S.	Dr. Manning.
Lokoja - -	90	68	79	20	79	5·48	·68	·18	22	S.E.	Dr. C. E. S. Watson.
Kano - - -	106	60	81·7	40	68	2·71	1·06	·09	8	S.W.	Dr. Porteous.
Bauchi - -	90	64	76·8	22	71	7·39	1·78	·24	16	S.W.	Dr. Crichton.
Ilorin - - -	89	66	77·6	21	82	8·57	1·28	·28	19	S.W.	Dr. Twomey and Lieut. Marwood.
Geidam - -	107	69	87·7	34	56	·39	·20	·013	5	S.W.	Dr. Davies.
Maiduguri - -	105	70	85·1	31	60	3.65	1·34	0·12	10	S.W.	Dr. Swann.
Zaria - - -	91	62	75·9	24	80	4·66	1·18	0·15	18	S.W.	Dr. McCay.
Kontagora - -	92	66	77·9	23	75	7·54	1·38	·25	19	S.W.	Dr. Benson.
Katagum - -	104	65	84·5	32	61	1·65	·57	·05	4	S.W.	Dr. Beattie.
Sokoto - -	98	65	83	25	66	3·68	1·16	·12	8	S.W.	Dr. Norman.
Wamba - -	95	65	77·2	26	79	16·58	2·35	·55	16	S.	Lieut. Ash, 2/N.N.R.
Nafada - -	98	66	82	29	78	2·57	·70	·08	12	S.W.	Dr. Lindsay and Lieut. Bate.
Baro - - -	98	69	82·4	27	75	5·27	1·06	·17	11	S.W.	Dr. Moiser.
Birnin Kebbi -	97	67	82.7	27	66	4·74	1·46	·15	10	S.W.	Dr. Courtney.
Naraguta - -	90	56	71·2	30	65	9·50	1·45	·31	17	SW&E.	Dr. Parsons.
Ibi - - -	92	68	78·6	22	83	12·03	2·59	·40	16	S.W.	Drs. Lobb & Thomson.
Ankpa - -	89	65	76·1	22	87	11·02	2·34	·36	22	S.W.	Capt. Bissell.
Kaduna - -	89	64	75	22	80	13·59	1·50	·45	22	S.W.	Dr. Williams.
Jebba - - -	92	67	79·4	22	70	6·50	1·15	·21	17	S.W.	Dr. Ellis.
Offa - - -	88	64	75·7	23	84	7·25	1·2	·24	16	S.W.	Dr. Wood.

15th November, 1913.

F. MANNING,
P. M. O.

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NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 42.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 28TH OCTOBER, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL 22nd October:—

Mr. C. L. Temple, C.M.G., Chief Secretary, **Capt.** C. F. Rowe, 2nd Class Resident, Mr. R. M. Blackwood, Assistant Resident, Lieutenant R. Scott-Moncrieff, N. N. R.

SAILINGS; BURUTU 22nd October.

Mr. J. Stewart, Asst. Accountant, P. W. D., Miss F. Jaques, Nurse, Medical, Lieut. G. E. Barclay, N. N. R., Mr. P. A. Anderson, District Engineer, P. W. D.

LAGOS, 23rd October:—

Mr. H. C. Hall, 3rd Class Resident, Capt. A. G. Uniacke, D.S.O., Commissioner of Police Mr. C. E. Boyd, Asst. Resident, Lieut. H. C. Bridges, Colour Sergeant D. Taylor, N. N. R.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 24th October:—

Sergts. O. T. Spaxman, A. C. Coveney, N. N. R., Mr. H. L. Norton-Traill, 3rd Class Resident, Messrs Y. Kirkpatrick, P. R. Diggle, Assistant Residents, Drs. R. H. Nolan, F. W. Chesnaye, Medical Officers, Mr. J. S. Brown, District Engineer, P. W. D.

POSTINGS:— Blackwood Kabba, Rowe Muri.

His Excellency the Governor and Staff **arrive** Zungeru from Lagos today.

NEWS CIRCULAR, No. 43.

OFFICIAL ZUNGERU, 3RD NOVEMBER, 1913.

SAILINGS; LIVERPOOL, 22nd October:—

Sergeant H. Budworth, N.N.R.

29th October:—

Capts. C. R. U. Savile, J. W. Chamley, Lieutenant G. L. E. Sherlock, **Sergeants W.** Chadwick, S. Wheelock, J. Thomson, **N.N.R.,** Mr. R. A. L. P. Hurt, Surveyor, **Mr. H. M.** Irwin, 3rd Assistant Secretary, **Major W. S.** Sharpe, C.M.G., 2nd Class Resident, **Mr. B. D.** Byfield, 3rd Class Resident, Mr. **K. Hamilton,** Asst. Resident, Mr. H. H. Brealy, **Inspector of** Works, P.W.D.

SAILINGS; BURUTU, 29th October:—

Major T. N. Puckle, Colour Sergt. **R. Steed,** N.N.R., Mr. C. V. Boyle, Asst. **Resident,** Mr. J. E. Pick, Inspector of Works, **P.W.D.**

LAGOS; 30th October:—

Messrs. H. F. Backwell, R. N. Pike, **Assistant** Residents, Dr. G. R. Twomey, **Medical Officer,** Colour Sergt. A. Warnock, N.N.R.

ARRIVALS; LAGOS, 10th October:—

Mr. A. H. D. Paul, Asst. **Resident, (from** Grand Canary.)

28th October, (German Mail):—

Lieut. C. Luxford, N.N.R.

31st October:—

Mr. W. F. Gowers, 1st Class **Resident, Mr.** S. M. Grier, 3rd Class Resident, **Messrs. S. H.** P. Vereker, H. B. Hermon-Hodge, **Assistant** Residents, Drs. L. Doudney, **W. G. Cobb,** Medical Officers, Sergt. E. A. **Lane, Sergeant,** Medical, Mr. R. C. Andrew, **Assistant Supdnt.** of Agriculture, Mr. J. Radcliff, **Assistant** Commissioner of Police, Lieut. D. **W. Pawle,** Colour Sergt. A. E. Jones, **Orderly Room** Sergt. S. J. Cole, Sergt. A. Tobitt, **N.N.R.**

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