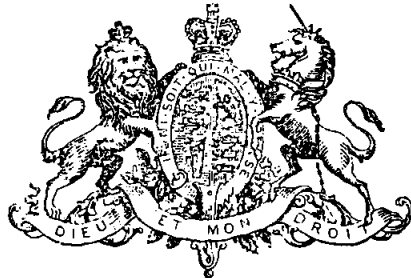


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EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

NOTICE.

The following Regulations made by His Majesty's Commissioner, and allowed by the Secretary of State are published for general information.

Nairobi, December 18th, 1901.

(Signed) C. ELIOT,
His Majesty's Commissioner.

*King's Regulations under Article 45 of "The East Africa Order-in-Council, 1897," and
Article 11 of "The East Africa Order-in-Council, 1899."*

No. 21 of 1901.

Brokers.

1. From and after the date of these Regulations no person shall carry on the trade of a broker, pawbroker, money changer, gold or silversmith in the East Africa Protectorate save as hereinafter provided.

2. Any person desirous of carrying on any of the trades mentioned in Article 1 must first obtain a license from the Sub-Commissioner of the province in which he intends to trade, or from such person as the Sub-Commissioner may appoint for the purpose, and must pay the fees specified in the annexed Schedule.

3. The licensing authority may refuse to grant a license without assigning any reason, but shall record reasons for the information of the Commissioner. In the case of persons who are not holders of a license at the time these Regulations come into force, it shall be a good cause for refusal that the applicant cannot keep, or cause to be kept, proper business books.

4. All licensees who can read and write, or can afford to keep a clerk, shall keep proper business books.

5. Every license shall specify the place or places at which the trade may be carried on, and the licensee shall not carry on such trade elsewhere save on particular occasions by direction of a Court or permission of the licensing authority. Provided that any licensee may be authorized by his license to carry on business in the streets.

6. Every license granted under these Regulations shall expire on the 31st day of December next following its issue.

7. Brokers will be of two classes, "official" and "ordinary." Any person desirous of becoming an official broker must find two sureties approved by the Sub-Commissioner, or such person as he may appoint, who will enter into a bond to the extent of 1,000 rupees each for his good behaviour.

8. Except for special reasons, the Courts and Government officials shall employ official brokers in preference to ordinary brokers.

9. No person carrying on any of the trades mentioned in Article 1 shall sell or dispose of, or in any way alter the shape, condition, or nature of any article offered to him for purchase, sale, exchange, or otherwise, within forty-eight hours after he shall have received the actual possession of such article.

10. Every person carrying on any of the trades mentioned in Article 1 shall, during the forty-eight hours aforesaid, deposit and keep any article or articles offered to him for purchase, sale, exchange, or otherwise, at such place or places only as may be described on his license.

11. Every person carrying on any of the trades mentioned in Article 1 shall bring to the notice of the police any case in which he has reason to believe that any article offered to him is stolen property, and shall allow the police at any time to enter and inspect his house and premises on production of an order from the chief police officer of the district.

12. Any person carrying on any of the trades mentioned in Article 1 shall, on conviction for a breach of these Regulations, in addition to any other penalties to which he may have rendered himself liable, be liable to the penalties provided for a breach of King's Regulations and to the forfeiture of his license.

13. The Regulations of the 24th December, 1896 are hereby repealed.

14. These Regulations may be cited as "The Brokers Regulations, 1901."

(Signed) C. ELIOT,

His Majesty's Commissioner.

Nairobi, December 18th, 1901.

Allowed:

LANSDOWNE,

His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

SCHEDULE.

The fees leviable in respect of licenses under these Regulations shall be as follows:—

					Rupees.
License for ordinary broker	...	...	...	...	40
" official "	...	...	...	...	20
" pawnbroker "	...	...	...	...	10
" money changer	...	...	...	...	5
" gold or silversmith	...	...	...	...	5

Provided that His Majesty's Commissioner may at his discretion authorize a reduction in the above-mentioned fees in the case of licenses issued after the 30th June in any year.

NOTICE.

The following despatch has been received by H. M.'s Commissioner in connection with the Portuguese Community of Mombasa:

(reproduce Foreign Office letter No. 19 treaty).

"I have laid before the King your telegram of the 10th instant, in which you convey the congratulations of the Portuguese Community of Mombasa, on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday.

I have now received the King's commands to instruct you to express to the Community His Majesty's best thanks for their good wishes.

I am,

Sir,

Your most obedient,

humble servant,

(Signed) LANSDOWNE."

Reuter's Telegrams.

DECEMBER 16TH.—New Zealand have offered a fresh contingent of 1,000 men for service in South Africa. Canada has also intimated her readiness to supply another 900 men.

Great Britain has drawn Germany's attention to the grave apprehension entertained in England with regard to the injury she anticipates the new Tariff will do to the trade of both countries. She has also forwarded memorials from the various Chambers of Commerce, expressing her hope that same will receive careful consideration.

General Bruce Hamilton reports from Ermelo that on the 13th instant he surprised Piet Wiljoen's Laager after a long night march. He killed 16 Boers and captured 76 armed prisoners as well as many other wounded men. One of the guns lost by Colonel Benson was recaptured, and used against the enemy when retreating. The second gun lost has been destroyed. The Government have telegraphed their hearty congratulations to General Hamilton.

The mortality amongst the whites in the concentration camps in the Transvaal and the Orange River Colonies during October November, amounted to 5,963 of which 4,904 were children.

The War Office have accepted the additional troops offered by Canada.

Mr. Roosevelt has declined Mr. Carnegies offer of £2,000,000 for educational purposes on the ground that the money is payable in bonds of the "Steel Trust."

Queen Wilhelmina and her husband visited the Hague on Saturday and drove in an open carriage to the Palace of the Queen mother. They were enthusiastically cheered.

Lord Kitchener reports that Cobubrand and Dankins have captured Commandant Badenhorst and 14 others. He adds that the effect of this important capture will be beneficial.

DECEMBER 17TH.—Marconi is now at St. Johns Newfoundland, and he has received through wires, raised 400 feet by kite's faint wireless signals from a powerfully equipped station near Penzance.

It is reported that Louis Botha has been severely wounded below the left knee near Luneberg, and that he has escaped capture by crawling and hiding himself in the bush.

At a meeting held in Rome the Italian Foreign Ministers, together with the British, French and German ambassadors, decided to confirm Prince George of Greece's Governorship of Crete for a further period of three years.

The American Senate has ratified the Canal Treaty by 72 votes against 6.

Lord Rosebery speaking at Chesterfield said that for the honour of Great Britain and for the future of South Africa it is necessary that the war should successfully be brought to the promptest and completest conclusion. He also stated that the Liberal Party was now absolutely free from the Irish Alliance as these later had openly ranged themselves on the side of the enemies of Great Britain, and that the Liberal Party must now put itself in order and adopt a modern Policy.

DECEMBER 18TH.—The Sugar Conference opened at Brussels on Monday. The Belgian Premier was elected President.

The Correspondent of the "Daily News" at Johannesburg states that important developments may be expected in a few days and that Botha has summoned a meeting of Burghers to discuss the situation.

DECEMBER 19TH.—Sir Francis De Winton is dead.

A despatch from Lord Kitchener from Belfast on the 17th states that Kritzinger has been captured. He was severely wounded while attempting to cross the Blockhouse line North of Cape Colony. During the week 458 Boers have been disposed of.

The Boers made two attempts on the 14th instant to cross the Blockhouse line across the Transvaal South to North. Both attempts were frustrated.

The correspondent of the "Daily News" at Heidelberg states that a feeling prevails that the war will be over in two months.

It is rumoured that Delarey wishes to surrender, and according to the statements made by some Boer prisoners who have arrived at Standerton, hostilities will cease on the 22nd instant.

The New Postage stamps bearing the King's portrait will be issued on the 1st of January next.

DECEMBER 20TH.—The Johannesburg Stock Exchange opened on the 17th instant. The Delagoa Railway line has resumed Civil traffic.

The "Times" correspondent at Bangkok states that negotiations with a view to settling the differences between France and Siam have been resumed.

Mr. Lloyd George was compelled to abandon a speech he was delivering at a Pro-Boer meeting at the Birmingham Town Hall on the evening of the 18th. The hostile audience attempted to rush the platform but were repelled by the Police. An immense crowd outside broke all the windows. The Police had to charge and many were injured with stones, one mortally. Mr. Lloyd George escaped disguised as a Policeman.

The Captain of the Nord Deutscher Line Steamer "Neckar" has been fined £25/- in Freemantle for contravening the new Customs Law by breaking the seals placed on ships stores by the Custom House officials while voyaging between Australian ports. The Captain has refused to pay the fine and has therefore been committed to prison until the same is paid.

DECEMBER 21ST.—Colonel Steele with Constabulary captured 36 Boers at Magaliesberg. Lord Methuen reports a capture of 32, and Colonel Allenby has also taken 32 prisoners in the Heidelberg district.

The trial of Scheepers has commenced at Graafreinet. Thirty charges are made against him including murder. Arson brain wrecking and cruelty to prisoners.

The rails on the Uganda Railway have now reached Victoria Nyanza.

The Federal Premier at an interview stated that he was unable to offer troops to Great Britain without some substantial suggestion from her stating actual requirements.

DECEMBER 23RD.—The Captain of the s.s. "Neckar" has been released and the vessel has sailed. The Agents of the Nord Deutscher Line having given a bond to pay the fine and the costs.

The Sugar Conference has adjourned to 6th of January.

In a Semi-Official note published in the "Temps" it is stated that there is no Siamese question at present but that it would be a mistake to suppose that France is disposed to sacrifice the guaranties she possesses in order to settle the various little questions that have arisen.

General Durnell with Imperial Horse Yeomanry engaged De Wet with 800 men, 1 pompom and 1 gun near Langberg on the 18th. After 4 hours' fighting the Boers were driven off. Colonel Campbell having co-operated with General Durnell from Bethlehem. The Boer casualties were 5 killed, 20 wounded and 2 prisoners. Our losses amounted 1 killed, 4 officers and 10 men wounded.

As the result of the recent captures of Boers 30 men surrendered at Standerton with arms and horses. 200 Burghers at Standerton have joined the National Scouts. Commandant Haasbroek was killed during the fight with Barker's column at Doornberg in the Orange River Colony.

Argentina and Chili have been unable to come to an agreement with regard to the boundary dispute. Argentina have recalled their Ministers to Santiago. The war feeling on both sides is most acute.

The French China Indemnity Loan has been covered 21 times over.

Methuen's captures include almost the entire equipments of Potgieter's Langer. Potgieter himself with 60 followers narrowly escaped capture.

At a meeting at York House of the Governors of the Imperial Institute under the Presidency of Prince of Wales it was unanimously resolved to transfer the Institute to the nation. The property is nearly worth half a million of money. The original objects of the Institute especially in connection with India and the colonies have been completely safeguarded. The Prince of Wales announced that the transfer had the entire approval of His Majesty who had always taken an active share in the management of the Institute.

DECEMBER 24TH.—Owing to the slight indisposition of Her Majesty, Their Majesties have decided to spend Christmas in London instead of at Sandringham.

The Federal Government have decided to send a contingent of a thousand men to the Cape.

The correspondent of the "Daily News" at Volksrust states that the Boers have apparently resolved to continue the war, and that the real object of their recent meetings was to make plans for a summer campaign.

DECEMBER 26TH.—Lord Kitchener reports that 300 Troops under Colonel Spens, while searching farms in parties at Biginderlyn in the Transvaal were attacked by 300 Boers and a portion overwhelmed with severe casualties.

Bannant was dangerously wounded in the fight at Tabelkon in the Orange River Colony on the 20th. He was hit in 4 places, but is making favourable progress. 2 officers and 20 men were killed, 4 officers and 17 men wounded.

Her Majesty is suffering from a slight cold, but is making satisfactory progress.

A Divorce has been granted to the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess Hesse on the grounds of absolute incompatibility of temper.

The National Scouts captured 11 Boers last Sunday South of Oliphantsnek. Colonels Colenbranders and Steele captured, 62 and 32 Boers respectively surprising Langers in the Pietersburg district.

Lord Kitchener reports that during the last week 120 Boers have been killed and wounded, 310 taken prisoner and 35 have surrendered.

The casualty list show that Bannant's losses at Tabelkop on the 20th were 3 officers and 29 men killed and 5 officers and 35 men wounded.

Twenty Field Garrison Batteries will be withdrawn from South Africa during the next few weeks, owing to their mobility being insufficient for guerilla warfare.

Argentina and Chili have come to terms each agreeing to withdraw their Police forces from the disputed territory, pending the decision of Great Britain who acts as arbitrator.

The German papers comment on the tenacity and energy shown by Britain in the construction of the Uganda Railway and they deplore Germany's negligence which leaves German Colonies dependent on British enterprise.

There is an increasing tendency amongst surrendered Burghers to assist in ending the war, and in view of the excellent services rendered by the National Scouts including the recent night march and capture of a Langer by Colliers on their own initiative it has been decided to sanction the formation of two farther wings for East and South Transvaal. Two hundred Burghers have already joined under well known Boer leaders elected by themselves.

DECEMBER 27TH.—Shaw, Governor of Iowa, succeeds Gage who has resigned at the American Treasury.

The Dutch Premier at an interview stated that the relations between Holland and England were correct and friendly and that Holland must remain reserved and neutral, in spite of efforts that were being made in certain quarters to thrust upon her the role of mediator.

The French Government have invited Menelik to France and he is expected to be there in spring.

Although Argentina and Chili have signed the Protocol averting immediate danger both sides are making defensive preparations. This shows that mutual distrust continues.

DECEMBER 28TH.—A despatch from Lord Kitchener from Johannesburg states that General Rundle reports that on the 24th instant Colonel Firman's camp at Tweefontein was successfully rushed by a considerable force of Boers under De Wet, and it is feared that the casualties are heavy. Colonel Firman's column consisted of 4 Companies of Yeomanry with two guns, and they guarded the head of the Blockhouse line Harrismith to Bethlehem. The 1st and 2nd Imperial Light Horse have started in pursuit of the Boers.

The New Army Corps for the London District, consist of 36,800 officers and men and ninety guns.

54 Boers have been captured in the Orange River Colony.

A large force under Belomen attacked an American Infantry detachment at Samar. 14 Americans were killed and wounded.

DECEMBER 30TH.—The losses of Spens at the affair mentioned on 23rd are ten killed and 15 wounded.

Chapman the Hero of Itala, dispersed a Boer Langer at Babanango on the border of Natal and the Transvaal capturing a quantity of stock and some prisoners.

NOTICE. UKAMBA PROVINCE.

NAIROBI MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE.

Under the Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901 issued in the "Official Gazette" of December 1st 1901, Notice is hereby given that all the buildings and land on which the Committee have power to levy a rate have been assessed, and in order to meet the expenses of sweeping, lighting and policing &c., a rate equal to two annas and five pies in the rupee has been sanctioned by the Committee and will be due from the 1st January 1902.

The buildings and shamba lands at present within the limits of the Nairobi Township and which are liable to the payment of a rate have been assessed at Rs. 41,279-4-0 which is estimated to produce a rate of Rs. 6,285; additional revenue is estimated to produce Rs. 6,485 (Vide Nairobi Budget). The total expenditure approved by the Committee, vide Budget, is estimated as Rs. 12,770.

(Sd.) JOHN AINSWORTH,
H. M. Sub-Commissioner.

Nairobi, December 31st, 1901.

Nairobi Township Budget from January 1st 1902 to December 31st 1902 as sanctioned by the Committee.

	Rs.	as.	Per annum.	Total Revenue.		Rs.	Rs.
Total Assessment on buildings in Station road	7,650	0			By personal emoluments as per details on Schedule	5,880	
Total Assessment on buildings in the Bazaar proper	36,760	0			By Stores, &c., as per details on Schedule	1,655	
Total Assessment on Shamba lands.	1,648	0			By Public Works recurrent as per details on Schedule	720	
	46,058	0			By extraordinary expenditure as per details on Schedule	2,395	
Less Deductions for average of empty houses	4,778	12			By rents	1,770	
Total Net Assessments	41,279	4			By purchases of furniture	350	12,770
Giving a rate @ 2 annas, 5 pies in the Rs.			6,285				
Estimated amounts due from Somali and Swahili villages in the area			650	6,935			
Estimated Revenue from Municipal Registration and Licenses			4,060	4,900			
Rents recoverable			875	875			
				Rs. 12,770			Rs. 12,770

Expenditure Schedule attached.

(Signed) JOHN AINSWORTH,
H. M. Sub-Commissioner.

Nairobi, December 31st, 1901.

Passed by the following members of the Committee present:—

William Radford, Medical Officer, Nairobi
Thos. A. Wood.
E. Noronha.
Hasham Bhai Jan Mahomed.

NAIROBI TOWNSHIP.

Estimate of Expenditure for the year ending December 31st, 1902.

Recurrent Expenditure.	Per mensem.	Per annum.	Total	Extraordinary Expenditure.	Per mensem.	Per annum.	Total.
Personal Emoluments.				Public Works.			
				Brought forward...		720	8,155
Clerk and Sanatory Inspector (including free house)	150	1,800		Completion of road between Bazaar and station road proper		150	
Headman	25	300		Tree planting		150	
6 sweepers for streets &c.	30	360		Lamp extension		200	
2 swahilis (lamp lighters, &c.)	20	240		Painting sign posts, boards, &c.		50	
4 swahilis bullock drivers, &c.	60	720		2 Night soil carts		1,000	
Night soil contract	105	1,260		Buckets, &c.		100	
Contribution for use of Protectorate Police in Bazaar (in lieu of keeping police)	100	1,200	5,880	12 Bullocks		600	
				Enckets, brushes, &c., for stables		25	
Stores, &c., Miscellaneous.				Corn, &c., for bullocks		120	2,395
Kerosene oil	60	720		Rents.			
Lamp repairs, wick, &c.	5	60		Rent of office, stables yards and residence for clerk, &c.	70	840	
Disinfectants		200		Rent of slaughter house		450	
Stationery and Postages, &c.		250		Rent of kerosene oil shed		450	
Brushes, Buckets, &c.		150		Police post at Msari		30	1,770
Tools and plant, baskets, &c.		250		Purchase of office furniture		350	350
Paint, &c.		15					Rs. 12,770
Rope for roads		10	1,055				
Public Works.							
Upkeep and repair of roads	50	600					
Labour on public gardens	10	120	720				
Carried forward...		720	8,155				

(Signed) JOHN AINSWORTH,
H. M. Sub-Commissioner.

Passed by the following members of the Committee present:—

William Radford, Medical Officer, Nairobi.
Thos. A. Wood.
E. Noronha.
Hasham Bhai Jan Mahomed.

UKAMBA PROVINCE.

NAIROBI MUNICIPALITY.

No. 1.

Bye-laws issued under the Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901 and in accordance with para. 15 of the Regulations, the following Bye-laws are issued for the preservation of public health and good order within the township of Nairobi as defined in the "Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901":—and hereby declared to be urgent.

1. All shops or buildings used for the sale or preparing of fresh food stuffs, milk, or for the manufacture of aerated water must at once be put into and kept in a sanitary condition to the satisfaction of the Medical Officer.

2. After such shops are passed by the Medical Officer they are to be duly registered at the office of the Municipal Committee, and only such shops, &c., as are passed by the Medical Officer and registered can be used for the sale of fresh food-stuffs.

3. Any shops or stalls at present used for sale of fresh food-stuffs, &c., must within two months after the publication of this Bye-law be put into proper order and condition to the satisfaction of the Medical Officer, and failing their being put into proper order within the time named they will be closed by the Municipal Authorities and no further sales of fresh food-stuffs allowed therein.

4. Any shops used for the sale of fresh food, &c., are not to be used in any way for habitation or for the sale of anything else by any person whatsoever.

5. No privies of any description are to be kept in the shop where these commodities are sold.

6. No person suffering from an infectious or contagious disease shall serve in the shops.

7. The name and trade of each person shall be plainly displayed on the front of the shop.

8. In the absence of any existing owners or tenants making the necessary improvements within the stipulated time the Municipal Committee will arrange for the building of proper shops to be let for the purpose of selling fresh food, &c.

9. Should the Committee have shops erected in accordance with para. 10, then it shall be lawful for them to make a regulation by which no other shops except the shops so erected and rented together with the ones already registered may be used for the sale of food.

10. Only persons who are duly registered and have paid the Municipal Registration fees shall be allowed to sell fresh food stuffs in Nairobi Township.

(all fees, &c., are fixed by a separate Bye-law.)

11. Any person found guilty of a breach of any of these Bye-laws shall be liable to a penalty of Rs. 50 fine or one month's imprisonment as provided by the Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901.

12. These Bye-laws may be cited as the Nairobi Municipal Bye-laws, No. 1.

By order,

(Signed) JOHN AINSWORTH,

H. M. Sub-Commissioner.

Nairobi, December 31st, 1901.

Passed by the following members of the Committee present:—

William Radford, Medical Officer, Nairobi.

Thos. A Wood.

E. Noronha.

Hasham Bhai Jan Mahomed.

BYE-LAW No. 2.

Issued under the Nairobi Municipal Regulations and in accordance with para. 15 of those Regulations, for the preservation of public health and good order within the Township:— and hereby declared to be urgent.

1. The throwing of dirty water of any kind upon any road or side drain of a road, or upon any public place, or of draining any such water into any compound in the occupation of such persons, or draining any such water into any place not specially set aside for such purposes by public notification, is hereby prohibited, all such refuse water must be placed in small tanks provided by the tenants or occupiers of houses, &c., when it will be removed by the contractor working under the Municipal Authorities.

2. All privies are to be kept clean and regularly disinfected and proper buckets are to be used, each tenant or occupier is responsible for the observance of these conditions who will also be responsible for the escaping or trespassing of night soil.

3. Servants privies will be provided by the Municipality at some distance from the houses and shops, and any servant found using private privies or committing nuisance elsewhere will be liable to punishment.

4. The throwing of bottles on to any road, or on to any compound or on to any ground whatsoever is an offence under the I. P. C.

5. The throwing or depositing of any rubbish on to any road, into any compound or public place is prohibited. Rubbish of every description including empty and broken bottles should be placed in boxes when it will be removed by the Municipal Contractor.

6. The keeping of any animals which may be a danger to the public health within any building used as a dwelling house or within any building or compound adjacent to a dwelling house is prohibited, except such buildings are kept in a condition approved by the Medical Authority.

7. The collection of natives or others in tents in the vicinity of shops or dwelling houses who are not the actual house or shop servants in the immediate employ of the owners or occupiers of such houses or shops is prohibited.

8. The digging of any hole in or near a dwelling house or shop for the reception of refuse water or filth is an offence unless such has received the sanction of the Municipal Committee in writing.

9. The slaughter of any animal in the Bazaar or in any place not specially set aside for that purpose is prohibited.

10. Any person convicted of a breach of any one of these Regulations which are not covered by the I. P. C. will be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, or one month's imprisonment, or both, for each offence proved, as provided in the Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901.

11. These Regulations may be cited as the Nairobi Municipal Bye-laws (No. 2) 1902.

(Signed) JOHN AINSWORTH,

Nairobi, December 31st, 1901.

H. M. Sub-Commissioner.

Passed by the following members of the Committee present :—

William Radford, Medical Officer, Nairobi.

Thos. A. Wood.

E. Noronha.

Hasham Bhai Jan Mahomed.

No. 3.

Bye-laws issued under the Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901 and in accordance with para. 15 of the Regulations.

The following Bye-laws are issued for the preservation of public health and good order within the township of Nairobi and are hereby declared to be urgent :—

1. The Municipal Committee will erect proper slaughter houses for the killing of cattle, goats and sheep.

2. No cattle, goats or sheep intended for sale shall be slaughtered outside the Municipal slaughter house.

3. The following fees shall be collected on each head slaughtered and shall be a proper charge to be collected by the Committee or by any person or agent appointed by them for that purpose :—

Cattle.....Re. 1 per head.

Goats and sheepAs. 4 per head.

4. Any person found guilty of a breach of these Bye-laws shall be liable on conviction to a penalty of Rs. 50 or one month's imprisonment, as provided in the Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901.

5. This Bye-law may be cited as the Nairobi Municipal Slaughter house Regulations 1902.

(Sd.) JOHN AINSWORTH,

Nairobi, December 31st, 1901.

H. M. Sub-Commissioner.

Passed by the following members of the Committee present :

William Radford, Medical Officer, Nairobi.

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E. Noronha.

Hasham Bhai Jan Mahomed.

No. 4.

Bye-laws issued under the Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901 and in accordance with para 15 of the Regulations.

The following Bye-laws are made for the preservation of Public health and good order within the township of Nairobi as defined in the Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901, and hereby declared to be urgent.

1. All shops or buildings used for the sale of fresh food-stuffs, mineral waters &c., as defined in this Bye-law, or for the carrying on of any business or entertainment as herein defined shall be registered at the office of the Municipal Committee and shall pay the registration fees as herein laid down.

2. All fees shall be paid on demand and when due shall be a charge against the shop-keeper in the same manner as the Regulation dealing with the collection of the rates.

3. The following Trades and undertakings &c., shall be registered and the fees payable in respect thereof shall be as shown hereunder.

1. Meat sellers	Rs. 30 per mensem.
2. Vegetable sellers	10 „ „
3. Hawker licenses	3 „ „
4. Dairy produce	5 „ „
5. Bakers	5 „ „
6. Tea & Refreshment shops.	10 „ „
7. Sweet-meats	5 „ „
8. Soda and Aerated-water Manufactories	10 „ „
9. Any place of entertain- ment	10 „ „
10. Special license for No. 9.	5 „ night.
11. Billiard saloons per table.	5 „ mensem.
12. Dhobie houses	10 „ „

4. Any person carrying on any business as herein defined without having registered the same and paying the fees will be liable to a penalty of Rs. 50 fine, or one month's imprisonment, as defined in the Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901 for each offence.

5. These Bye-laws may be cited as the Nairobi Municipal Registration Bye-laws 1902.

(Signed) JOHN AINSWORTH,

Nairobi December 31st, 1901.

H. M. Sub-Commissioner.

Passed by the following members of the Committee present:—

William Radford, Medical Officer, Nairobi.

Thos. A. Wood.

E. Noronha.

Hasham Bhai Jan Mahomed.

(BYE-LAW No. 5.)

Issued in accordance with clause 15 of the Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901 and hereby declared to be urgent:—

1. Any cart or vehicle used in Nairobi for the conveyance of luggage or merchandise and such vehicle not being used exclusively for work connected with H. M's. Government or any department of H. M's. Government shall be registered and pay a fee.

2. Every cart so employed shall bear a registered number and only such carts, &c., as are numbered shall be allowed to use the public roads.

3. The registration fee payable on each cart shall be as follows:—

Rs. 10 per annum for 2 wheels.

Rs. 25 per annum for 4 wheels.

4. Any person found guilty of a breach of these Regulations shall be liable on conviction to a penalty of Rs. 50 or one month's imprisonment as provided in the Nairobi Municipal Regulations 1901.

5. These Regulations may be cited as the Nairobi Municipal Vehicle Regulations 1902.

(Signed) JOHN AINSWORTH,

Nairobi, December 31st, 1901.

H. M. Sub-Commissioner.

Passed by the following members of the Committee present:—

William Radford, Medical Officer, Nairobi.

Thos. A. Wood.

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NAIROBI RACES.

X'MAS MEETING 1901.

The evening of Monday 23rd "Lottery Night" judging by the attendance at the Nairobi Club seemed to promise plenty of sport and an excellent attendance for this half-yearly meeting fixed for the 24th, but unfortunately the weather was all against it, as rain came down for nearly the whole afternoon, and spoiled what would otherwise have been a most successful meeting. Even as it was the attendance was surpassingly good including a number of visitors from Zanzibar and Up-country and although the gate money fell far short of the takings at the last meeting, yet the earnings of the Totalisator shewed very little decrease. The course was in excellent condition and shewed that a lot of care had been bestowed upon it and the

accommodation in the enclosures would have sufficed to amply accommodate all those who were prevented from attending by the inclemency of the weather. The exasperating part of it all being that on both the 23rd and 25th the weather was all that could be deserved. A gloom also was cast over the proceedings by the unfortunate accident to Mr. W. Buchanan of Zanzibar who was thrown from his horse during the second race. It appears that he fractured the base of the skull and without recovering consciousness died a few hours afterwards. The deceased gentleman was a thorough sportsman and very popular and had brought a horse from Bombay especially for this meeting. It is almost impossible to say exactly how the accident happened but the impression is that the saddle slipped round immediately after the commencement of the race.

The following is an account of the actual racing:—

2 p.m. The Nairobi Hurdle Race. For all horses. About 1½ miles over 8 flights of hurdles.

Mr. Carroll's ...	g. h. Makindu ...	Mr. Owens ...	1
Whittenbury's ...	bl. h. Mohindi ...	Mallite ...	0
Stallibress' ...	ch. g. Line Clear ...	Hopton ...	0

This race was particularly a walk over for Makindu who galloped the course unchallenged, both Mohindi and Line Clear refusing to jump.

Betting:—

Evens on Mohindi.

7 to 5 against Makindu.

3 to 1 against Line Clear.

2.40 p.m. The Commissioner's Cup. For all horses. A challenge cup presented by Sir Charles Elliot, K.C.M.G., C.B., with Rs. 199 added. Distance seven furlongs.

Mr. Macalister's ...	b. m. Star of the East ...	Mr. Owens ...	1
Cruikshank's ...	h. m. Janet II ...	Hopton ...	2
Capt. Sharpe's ...	b. h. El Mas ...	Mallite ...	0
Mr. Gailey's ...	b. h. Rabbit ...	Cooper ...	0
Buchanan's ...	br. g. Babs ...	Owner ...	0

After an excellent start Babs jumped away clear from the field and after running a furlong threw his rider. Star of the East then took the lead from Rabbit and won easily from Janet by 4 lengths with a length between 2nd and 3rd.

3.15 p.m. The Kikuyu Handicap. For all horses that have previously run in East Africa but who have never won a race worth Rs. 100. Distance five furlongs.

Messrs. Wilson and Tonk's ...	b. m. Afmadu ...	Mr. Cooper ...	1
Mr. Jackson's ...	bl. h. Warrior ...	Mallite ...	2
H. Macalister's ...	ch. m. Dorothy ...	Gibbons ...	0
Captain Sharpe's ...	b. h. Musafir ...	Ewing ...	0
Mr. Rawson's ...	g. h. Yoko ...	Scott ...	0

Mr. Farquhar got his field away to an excellent start, the winning being made by Yoko followed by Dorothy who was quickly passed by Afmadu and Warrior. On Yoko winning off the course, the race was left to the two latter, Afmadu winning by half a length from Warrior after a desperate struggle:—

3.45 p.m. The Maiden Stakes. For all horses that have never won Rs. 50.

Mr. Macalister's ...	b. m. Star of the East ...	Mr. Owens ...	1
Whittenbury's ...	bl. h. Mohindi ...	Gibbons ...	2
Barton-Wright's ...	g. h. Scots Grey ...	Cooper ...	0
Jackson's ...	bl. h. Warrior ...	Mallite ...	0
Captain Sharpe's ...	br. h. Musafir ...	Ewing ...	0
Mr. Corbett's ...	g. h. Circus Horse ...	Scott ...	0

Scott's Grey led the field as far as the distance when he was passed by Star of the East and Mohindi, the former winning in a canter, Scott's Grey just beating Warrior for third place, Mohindi second.

4.20 p.m. The Chief Engineer's Cup. Presented by George Whitehouse, Esq. For all horses. Distance one mile.

Mr. Cruikshank's ...	b. m. Janet II ...	Mr. Hopton ...	1
Captain Sharpe's ...	br. h. El mas ...	Mallite ...	2
The Catholic Mission's ...	ch. h. Ferridie ...	Owens ...	0
Mr. Gailey's ...	g. h. Diablo ...	Cooper ...	0
Rawson's ...	g. h. Yoko ...	Scott ...	0

This was the best race of the day and resulted in a most exciting finish. Diablo took up the running followed by Janet who was passed by Ferridie on entering the straight.—A ding-dong race then ensued between these two until within 20 yards of the winning post when El Mas came along with a rush and passed Ferridie and only lost by a neck to Janet II.

5 p.m. The Christmas Handicap. For all horses that have previously run in East Africa. Distance half a mile.

This race attracted 7 starters to the post Naivandi proved very fractious and upset the field with the result that the horses were got away to a bad start, Rabbit and Ferridie being left at the post and only getting away some lengths behind. Afmadu took the lead at once from Naivandi and was never challenged, Rabbit beating Ferridie for second place.

Messrs. Wilson and Tonk's ...	b. m. Afmadu ...	Mr. Gibbons ...	1
Mr. J. Gailey's ...	b. h. Rabbit ...	Cooper ...	2
Catholic Mission's ...	ch. m. Ferridie ...	Owens ...	0
Mr. H. Macalister's ...	ch. m. Dorothy ...	Hopton ...	0
F. Rawson's ...	b. h. Lord Bols ...	Scott ...	0
Captain Sharpe's ...	b. h. Messafir ...	Ewing ...	0
Longfield's ...	ch. m. Naivandi ...	Tew ...	0

5.30 p.m. The Mombasa Purse. For all horses 14.2 and under. Distance six furlongs.

Mr. Macalister's ...	b. m. Star of the East ...	Mr. Owens ...	1
Gailey's ...	g. g. Diablo ...	Cooper ...	2

This race which developed into a match was a foregone conclusion. Diablo held his own well for half the distance but was quite out classed, Star of the East winning easily.

This brought a successful meeting as far as racing was concerned, to a close. No Doubt Star of the East quite out classed her competitors and it is to be hoped that next meeting she will meet something fit to give her a run for the principal races. At the same time it is very satisfactory to see better blood coming into the country at each successive meeting.

BETTING.

Commissioner's Cup.

7 to 2 against El Mas.
8 to 1 " Janet II.
2 to 1 " Babs.
6 to 1 " Rabbit.
2 to 1 " Star of the East.

Kikuyu Handicap.

35 to 1 against Warrior.
5 to 1 " on Yoko.
12 to 1 against Afmadi.
25 to 1 " Musafir.
8 to 5 " Dorothy.

Maiden Stakes.

8 to 1 against Warrior.
30 to 1 " Musafir.
60 to 1 " Circus Horse.
11 to 1 " Scotts Grey.
6 to 1 " Mohindi.
5 to 1 " on Star of the East.

Chief Engineer's Cup.

11 to 1 against El Mas.
5 to 1 " Janet II.
33 to 1 " Yoko.
8 to 5 " Diablo.
Evens on Ferridie.

The X'mas Handicap.

9 to 2 against Naivandi.
2 to 1 " Rabbit.
3 to 1 " Afmadi.
45 to 1 " Musafir.
70 to 1 " Lord Bobs.
3 to 1 " Ferridie.
8 to 1 " Dorothy.

The Mombasa Purse.

2 to 1 against Diablo.
5 to 1 " on Star of the East

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

December 17th, Mr. Talbot Smith, Assistant Accountant, Uganda, from England.

December 18th, Captain C. W. Justice, Mr. A. Marsden and Dr. Haran, from Kismayu.

Captain J. E. D. Ward, for England on 6 months leave.

Captain G. C. Rodney Mundy, Uganda Rifles, for England.

December 19th, Colonel G. P. Hatch, C.M.G., from Kismayu.

December 21st, Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Piggott, Mr. Baughan and Mr. F. H. O. Wilson from Zanzibar and left same day for Nairobi.

Mr. Hamilton, Mr. J. B. Ainsworth and Dr. Haran for Nairobi.

Mr. Talbot Smith, Assistant Accountant, for Uganda.

December 22nd The Rt. Hon. Sir George Dashwood Taubman-Goldie, K.C.M.G., Member of the Privy Council for Zanzibar.

Captain C. C. L. Barlow, Uganda Rifles, from England.

December 23rd Major C. Delmé Radcliffe and Lieut. H. H. Knox, Uganda Rifles, from Uganda.

December 24th, Lieut. H. H. Knox, for England.

December 26th, Captain C. C. L. Barlow, for Uganda.

December 28th, Mr. J. W. Tritton, for Voi.

December 29th, Mr. R. J. Macallister, Mr. H. R. Tate, from England.

December 30th, Mr. J. W. Tritton, from Voi.

Mr. J. B. Ainsworth, from Nairobi.

December 31st. Captain H. R. W. Millais, for England.

Mr. Sinclair, from Nairobi.

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METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

THE WEATHER IN MOMBASA.

FORTNIGHT ENDING 30th DECEMBER 1901.

Temperature.

Days.	Month and Date.	Barometer.	Dry B.	Wet B.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Rain.
		9 a.m.	9 a.m.	9 a.m.	24 hours.	24 hours.	24 hours.
Sunday	December 15	30.102	85	82	87	82	0.00
Monday	" 16	30.088	81.5	80.5	87	82	0.00
Tuesday	" 17	30.114	84.5	81	87	83	0.00
Wednesday	" 18	30.114	84	80.5	86	82	0.00
Thursday	" 19	30.114	83	80	85	81	0.00
Friday	" 20	30.112	83.5	80	87	82	0.00
Saturday	" 21	30.122	83	80	87	81.5	0.05
Sunday	" 22	30.122	83	80	87	81	0.00
Monday	" 23	30.152	83	81	86	81	0.18
Tuesday	" 24	30.142	83	81	86	81	0.00
Wednesday	" 25	30.122	83	81	86	81	0.00
Thursday	" 26	30.120	83	81.2	87	81	0.05
Friday	" 27	30.136	81	79	86	80	0.06
Saturday	" 28	30.132	83	80	86	81	0.00
Sunday	" 29	30.126	82	80	86	81	0.03
Monday	" 30	30.082	82	79	86	81	0.00
Fortnightly average.		30.118	83.2	80.4	86.2	81.3	

Total rainfall for 11 months ending 30th November 57.34 inches.

Total 0.37

Mombasa, 30th December 1901.

SHIPPING REPORT.

MOMBASA HARBOUR.

MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1901.

Name of vessel.	Captain.	Gross Tons.	Cargo.	Nationality.	To Whom consigned.	From	Date.		Bound to.
							Arrival.	Departure.	
S. S. Juba.	Wilson.	596	General.	British.	Protectorate.	Zanzibar.	Oct. 31	Nov. 4	Kilifi.
" Koutz.	Wiskum.	4524	"	German.	Hansing & Co.	Hamburg.	Nov. 1	" 1	Zanzibar.
" Pritula.	Pellinger.	2098	"	British.	S. M. & Co.	Zanzibar.	" 2	" 2	Bombay.
" Juba.	Wilson.	596	"	Do.	Protectorate.	Kilifi.	" 5	" 7	Kismayu.
" Safari.	Topp.	1436	"	German.	Hansing & Co.	Bombay.	" 9	" 10	Zanzibar.
" Bundesrath.	Carstens.	2034	"	Do.	Do.	Hamburg.	" 13	" 14	"
" P. Jitana.	Lemmerhand.	2008	"	British.	S. M. & Co.	Bombay.	" 19	" 20	"
" Juba.	Wilson.	596	"	Do.	Protectorate.	Kismayu.	" 19	" 22	"
" Safari.	Topp.	1436	"	German.	Hansing & Co.	Zanzibar.	" 19	" 19	Bombay.
" Reichstag.	Klav.	2034	"	Do.	Do.	"	" 20	" 20	Hamburg.
" P. Jitana.	Lemmerhand.	2008	"	British.	S. M. & Co.	"	" 24	" 25	Bombay.
" Sultan.	Scharfe.	2346	"	German.	Hansing & Co.	Bombay.	" 26	" 24	Zanzibar.
" Sirhana.	Jones.	2740	"	British.	S. M. & Co.	Zanzibar.	" 30	" 30	Bombay.

MEN-OF-WAR.

H.M.S. Blanche	Parks.			British.		Zanzibar	Oct. 29	Nov. 2	Lamu.
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SAILING SHIP.

Barque Mentor.	Larsson.	909	Timber.	Swedish.	L. Besson.	Göthenburg	Nov. 2	Nov. 14	Tamative.
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KILINDINI HARBOUR.

S.S. Vauschall.	Reeder.	3991	Coal.	British.	Uganda Ry.	Calcutta.	Oct. 29	Nov. 9	Aden.
" Bridge.	Ritson.	8686	General.	"	Uganda Ry.	New York	Nov. 1	" 21	Calcutta.
" Bucentaur.	Gasson.	8062	Coal.	"	S. M. & Co.	Cardiff.	" 15	" 20	Zanzibar.
" Min.	Chiners.	3127	"	"	S. M. & Co.	Calcutta.	" 19	" 23	Saliff.
" Westminster Bridge.						via Zan'ha.			

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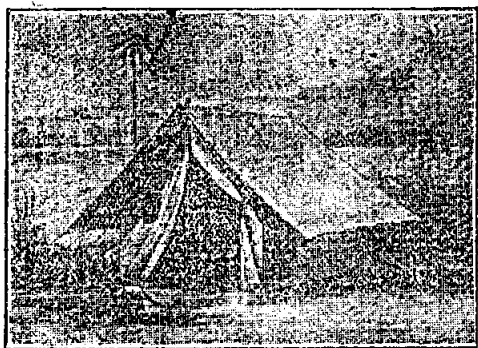
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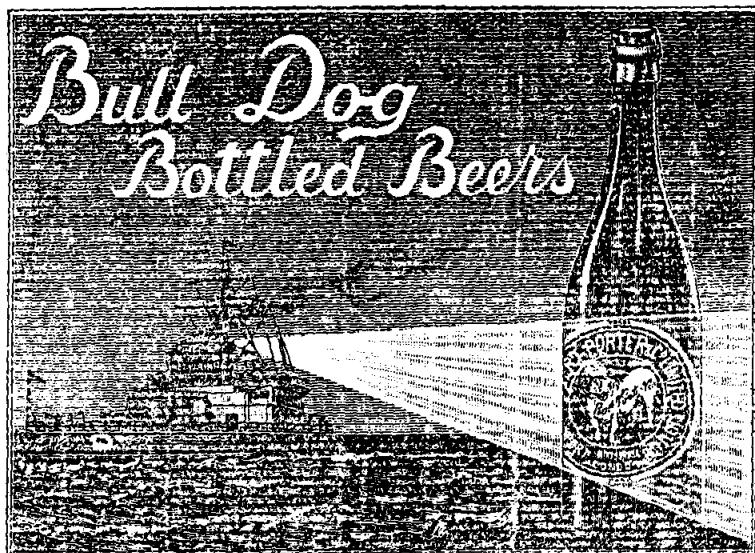
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