

MEETING HELD AT NAIROBI ON AUGUST 3RD 1910

Present: H.E. The Governor (Sir Percy Girouard)
The Provincial Commissioner (Mr Hobley)
The Treasurer (Mr Bowring)
The Crown Advocate (Mr Combe)
The General Manager Uganda Railway (Mr Currie)
Mr A.C. MacDonald
Mr G.K. Watts
Mr J.H. Wilson
Mr V.M. Newland.

OATH

The oath was administered to Mr MacDonald, Mr Watts, Mr Wilson and to Mr Newland as a new member.

MINUTES

The Minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed.

MOTIONS 2,3, and 4

The Treasurer moved to postpone these motions until a later day in the Session.

REGISTRATION-LAKE VESSELS ORDINANCE-FIRST READING

The General Manager Uganda Railway moved the First Reading of this Bill to make provision for the registration of vessels navigating Lake Victoria.

The Provincial Commissioner seconded and this was agreed to.

The Bill was read a First time.

The General Manager gave notice that he would move the Second Reading of this Bill during this Session.

DOMESTIC SERVANTS BILL--FIRST READING

The Provincial Commissioner moved the First Reading of this Bill to provide for the registration of domestic and certain servants.

The Crown Advocate seconded and this was agreed to.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The Provincial Commissioner then proposed that this Bill should be referred to a Special Committee composed of the Crown Advocate, the Treasurer, Mr Wilson, Mr Newland and the Provincial Commissioner.

The Treasurer seconded and this was agreed to.

The Crown Advocate proposed that Mr Hobley be the Chairman.

The Treasurer seconded and this was agreed to.

MARRIAGE ORDINANCE AMENDMENT BILL--FIRST READING

The Crown Advocate moved the First Reading of this Bill to amend the East Africa Marriage Ordinance 1902.

The Provincial Commissioner seconded and this was agreed to.

The Bill was read a First time.

WAKF COMMISSIONERS AMENDMENT ORDINANCE--FIRST READING

The Crown Advocate moved the First Reading of this Bill to amend the Wakf Commissioners' Regulations.

The Provincial Commissioner seconded and this was agreed to.

The Bill was read a First time.

The Crown Advocate gave notice that he would move the Second Reading of this Bill at a later stage.

COLLECTIVE PUNISHMENT ORDINANCE AMENDMENT BILL--FR

The Provincial Commissioner gave notice of the First Reading of this Bill to amend the Collective Punishment Ordinance 1909.

The Crown Advocate seconded and this was agreed to.

The Bill was read a First time.

The Provincial Commissioner gave notice that he would move the Second Reading of this Bill at a later stage.

MINING BILL--FIRST READING

The Provincial Commissioner moved the First Reading of this Bill relating to Mining.

The Crown Advocate seconded and this was agreed to.

The Bill was read a First time.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The Provincial Commissioner then proposed that the Bill be referred to a Special Committee composed of the Crown Advocate, Mr Watts, Mr Wilson, Mr Newland and the Provincial Commissioner.

Mr Watts seconded and this was agreed to.

The Crown Advocate that Mr Hobley should be the Chairman.

Mr Watts seconded and this was agreed to.

FOREST BILL--FIRST READING

The Provincial Commissioner moved the First reading of a Bill to provide for better protection of the Forests and Trees on Crown Land.

The Crown Advocate seconded and this was agreed to.

The Bill was read a First time.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The Provincial Commissioner proposed that the Bill be referred to a Special Committee consisting of the Crown Advocate, the General Manager Uganda Railway, the Director of Agriculture, Lord Delamere and Mr Newland.

Mr Watts seconded and this was agreed to.

The Crown Advocate proposed Mr MacDonald as Chairman.

The General Manager Uganda Railway seconded and this was agreed to.

HUT AND POLL TAX BILL-- FIRST READING

The Provincial Commissioner moved the First Reading of a Bill to amend the Native Hut and Poll Tax Ordinance.

The Treasurer seconded and this was agreed to.

The Bill was read a First time.

MEDICAL PRACTITIONER AND DENTISTS BILL- SECOND READING

The Bill was re-committed to the Council by His Excellency's instructions.

The Crown Advocate moved that the Council go into Committee to consider certain amendments to this Ordinance.

Mr Watts seconded and this was agreed to.

COUNCIL INTO COMMITTEE

Section 1

The Crown Advocate moved to delete " 1909" from section 1 and substitute therefor " 1910" and that the same amendment be made in the schedule where the Ordinance is referred to as " 1909".

Mr Watts seconded and this was agreed to.

Section 5

The Crown Advocate moved to delete " Great Britain" from the end of subsection (a) of section 5 and to substitute therefor " the United Kingdom".

Mr Watts seconded and this was agreed to.

The Crown Advocate moved that the Bill be now reported to the Council.

The Provincial Commissioner seconded and this was agreed to.

The Crown Advocate moved that the Bill as amended be passed.

Mr Watts seconded and this was agreed.

VOLUNTEER BILL

The Bill was re-committed to the Council on His Excellency's instructions.

The Crown Advocate moved that the Council go into Committee to consider certain amendments.

The Provincial Commissioner seconded and this was agreed to.

COUNCIL INTO COMMITTEE

Section 1

The Crown Advocate moved to substitute " 1910" for " 1909" in section 1.

The Provincial Commissioner seconded and this was agreed to.

Section 19

The Crown Advocate moved to insert in section 19 " wrongfully" before " makes away with" in line 1 of this section.

The Provincial Commissioner seconded and this was agreed to.

The Crown Advocate moved to report the Bill to the Council.

The Provincial Commissioner seconded and this was agreed.

The Crown Advocate moved that the Bill as amended be passed.

The Provincial Commissioner seconded and this was agreed to.

ADJOURNMENT

The Council adjournment adjourned till August 4th 1910.