

SCIENTIFIC
(Geological)
No. 723/24

C.S.

1924.

S. of S. No. 89

SUBJECT.

1924

27th September

Previous Paper.

Dr. J. W. EVANS

Question of remuneration for
work in connection with
Geological Survey of Falkland
Islands,

MINUTES.

S of S. despatch No 89 of 27th Sept 1924 — Encl ①
Letter by Dr J. W. Evans of 24th June 1924 — " ①A

5-Sept
P.A. 19/6/25-

Y.B.
submitted
The amounts that appear to have been
paid ^{in cash} after 1st May 1922 under the
Head 'Geologist' do not appear to have
exceeded £400. To ask Treasurer for
actual amount?

T.W. 17 Nov. 24
T.W.
17 Nov. 1924

Hon. Treasurer
Accordingly

T.W. 18 Nov. 24

Subsequent Paper.

Hon. Col. Secretary,

Expenditure under "Geologist" from 1st
May 1922, is as follows: -

Salary of Govt Geologist	£ 375. 0. 0
Travelling Expenses	8. 10. 0
Expenses in connection with examination of specimens	28. 6. 5
Slides & negatives	3. 5. 0
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	£ 415. 1. 5

K. W. Thompson
Treasurer
19/11/24.

Yr. The amount payable will therefore
be £ 24. 18. 1 as I make it.
To submit a vote to Leg. Council?

~~W. W. Thompson~~ 21 Nov. 24
W. W. Thompson
21 Nov. 1924

Yr. Treasurer

For note. The fee will not in
any case be paid until 1925 and it will be
a question of whether to include the amount
payable in the 1925 Estimates or to have a
vote next year

~~W. W. Thompson~~ 21 Nov. 24

Hon. Col. Secy

Thanks. Noted

K. W. Thompson
22. XI. 24.

Despatch to S.O.S. No. 3 of 15th Jan. 1925.
Despatch from S.O.S. No. 28 of 20 Feb 1925 (3)
Lr. from Col. Office to Comdant, dated 18 Feb 1925. (3a)

Y.C. Submitted.

Does your Excellency wish a Special Warrant to be taken under XII Scientific or under a New Item of the Miscellaneous Vote Head XV?

G.H. by
Dir Sec
11 May 1925

O.S.C./C.S.O.

Miscellaneous Head XV.

G.H. by
Dir Sec
11 May 1925

Hon. Treasurer.

With special warrant for favour of your comments.

G.H. by
Dir Sec
18 May 1925

Hon:Col:Sec;

In as much as the enclosed Special Warrant is in respect of a New Subhead, in regard to which no provision is made on the Estimates for 1925 it does not seem possible for Treasurer to make any comments, please.

B. Thompson

19th May 1925

G.P. Special warrant submitted
for favour of Your Excellency's signature

G.P. 1/2

D. C. Sec

20 May 1925

21 May 1925

Mr. Treasurer

Special warrant No 5/25 - herewith.

G.P. 1/2

D. C. Sec

21 May 1925

Son. Sec.

S.W. No 5/25 withdrawn

H. Thompson

Treasurer

22/5/25

DUPLICATE

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FALKLAND ISLANDS.

DOWNING STREET,

No. 89

27 September, 1924.

Sir,

With reference to previous correspondence relative to the geological Survey of the Falkland Islands, I have the honour to transmit to you the accompanying copy of a letter from Dr. J. W. Evans, applying for remuneration for his services in connection with the Colonial Research Committee and otherwise.

Fr. Dr. EVANS.
24th June.

2. In the case of British Honduras, the Leeward and Windward Islands, it has been decided to pay Dr. Evans a fee at the rate of 6% upon the expenditure from Imperial funds on geological investigations in those Colonies during the period from May, 1922 inclusive, and I should be glad if you would inform me whether your Government are prepared to contribute a similar percentage in respect of the Colony's expenditure in and after May, 1922. If so, I have to request that you will state the amount that should be paid to Dr. Evans.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient,

humble servant,

(for the Secretary of State)
(Signed) ARNOLD

VOR,
MIDDLETON, ESQ., K.B.E., C.M.G.,
etc., etc., etc.

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IMPERIAL COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY,

South Kensington,

London, S.W.7.

Geological Department,

24th June, 1924.

The Under Secretary of State,

Colonial Office. S.W.1.

Sir,

When the allowance that I formerly received as Technical Advisor to the Colonial Office in respect of Minerals other than Coal or Petroleum was discontinued as from May 1922 by a decision of the Treasury, it was understood that when circumstances permitted it I might receive fees for services rendered to any Colony or Dependency.

I have in the past two years afforded considerable assistance in the course of the work of the Colonial Research Committee in the Colonies of British Honduras, the Leeward and Windward Islands, and Nyasaland, and for the Colonial Governments in Somaliland and the Falklands. I would therefore submit that if funds are available from the Grant in aid of Colonial Research, or otherwise, I should be paid adequate remuneration for what I have done in these connections.

I am, etc.,

(sd) John W. Evans.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

No. 3.

(2)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
STANLEY,
1st January, 1925.

Sir,

With reference to your despatch No. 89 of the 27th of September, relating to the payment of a fee to Dr. J. W. Evans for his services in connection with geological investigations in different Colonies, I have the honour to inform you that this Government is prepared to contribute its share of the expenditure on the basis suggested. The amount spent on geological investigations in this Colony during the period from May, 1922, inclusive was £415. 1. 5 and the sum payable at the rate of 6% of this expenditure is £24. 13. 1.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient,

humble servant,

J. Middleton.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

L. C. M. S. AMERY, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

Colonial Secretary's Department.

Date 15th May, 1925.

To

THE HONOURABLE COLONIAL SECRETARY.

I have the honour to apply for a Special Warrant for £ 24. 18. 1.

(New item)
on Head XV. MISCELLANEOUS. Sub-head 24. Geological investigations-
Contribution to fee payable to Dr. J.W. Evans in respect of his services.

The present state of the Vote is as follows:— on Colonial Research Committee

	£
Amount provided in Estimates.....	-
Special Warrant already issued No.	-
" " " " " No.	-
Actual Expenditure to date	-
Outstanding Liabilities incurred.....	24. 18. 1.
Balance remaining on vote	-
Estimated Expenditure to 31st December.....	24. 18. 1.

Comments of
Treasurer. }

New Subhead

H. W. Evans
19. 5. 25

E. W. Brown

Head of Department.

for Colonial Secretary.

EXPLANATIONS.

(If general authority has been given for the Expenditure the number of the Minute Paper and the Secretary of State's despatch, if any, should be quoted).

Sup. S. Despatch No 28 of 20th February 1925

60161/24.

DOWNING STREET,

18th February, 1925.

Gentlemen,

With reference to the letter from this Department No. 58276/24 of the 15th January, I am directed by Mr. Secretary Amery to authorise you to pay to Dr. J. W. Evans, Geological Department, Imperial College of Science and Technology, S. W. 7 (a) the sum of £27 11/10 from Windward Islands funds, (b) the sum of £25 from Leeward Islands funds, and (c) the sum of £24 18/1 from Falkland Islands funds in respect of his services in connection with geological investigations in these Islands.

2. The amount payable in respect of the Windward Islands should be apportioned as follows:-

Grenada	£13	4/11
Saint Lucia	8	0/0
St. Vincent	6	6/11
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I am,

Gentlemen,

Your most obedient servant,

(sgd) G. Grindle.

The Crown Agents for the Colonies.