

Public Works.

C.S.

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1930

No. 183/30

Messrs Ratscliff & Knadel

SUBJECT.

1930

16th April

Previous Paper.

Messrs Ratscliff & Knadel submit a complaint regarding Foot Drain passing through their property.

MINUTES.

① Letter from Messrs Ratscliff & Knadel ^{16/4/30}
 Hon Colonial Engineer.

For report please.

G.H.R.

for C.S.

17. 11. 30

Hon Col. Sec.

This drain was put in long before my time. I agree it requires attention, and I have had it in mind for a considerable time.

I propose to deal with this under the general drainage scheme for the upper reaches of the Town.

You can assure the persons concerned that it will receive attention as soon as convenient and in conjunction with the general sanitary improvements it is intended to carry out in that section of the Town. C. Roberts 23/11/30.

Subsequent Paper.

7/6. Draft letter to Messrs. Patchiff
and Kiddle submitted.

SAH
for C.S.
25. IV. 30

SAH.
25.30.
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Letter to Messrs. J. Patchiff & A. Kiddle, 26th April, 1930 2.

Hon. Colonial Engineer.

For info.
SAH
for C.S.
26. IV. 30

Hon. Col. Sec.

Noted

C. Roberts.
28/4/30.

SA. 1.5.30.
26.



Stanley :

16th April 1930.

The Honourable :

The Colonial Secretary,

Sir.

We the undersigned desire to draw your attention to the open drain which runs through our land from Davis Street to Fitzroy Road, which has now to some extent become a nuisance.

The drain when first made a portion of it from Fitzroy Road, was piped and covered, the Government did not have at the time sufficient pipes to complete it, but it was then understood that it would be a covered drain right through to Davis Street, soon as pipes could be obtained, however nothing has been done since and the consequence now is that the heavy flow of water that comes through the drain has washed the earth and clay away to a considerable width and depth and will continue to do so unless steps are taken to prevent it, moreover this dry weather a very foul smell rises due no doubt to the drains flowing into it from the houses south of Davis Street.

We pray that you will give the matter your earliest consideration.

We remain,

Sir,

Your obedient servants,
John Ratcliffe
Alex L. Middle

188/30.

26th April, 30.

Gentlemen,

With reference to your letter of the 16th of April, I am directed by the Governor to inform you that it is proposed to effect the necessary improvement to the drainage of your property under the general scheme for the drainage of the upper section of the town.

2. I am to add that the work will be put in hand as soon as practicable.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,



for Colonial Secretary.

Messrs. J. Ratcliffe & A. L. Kiddle,
STANLEY.