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MR. MACGREGOR SCOTT.

GENERAL MANAGER.

5th May,

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Attached herewith is copy of request from Cardiff Branch Manager to cover an item in the Newsreel.

As you will see, this is a subject which we should normally go well out of our way to avoid. Mr. Collyer, however, thinks our covering the story would help Mr. Verran in his sub-letting negotiations with Mr. Budgen.

We do not want to film this very unimportant event, but in view of the sub-letting issue, we would like your raling.

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Further to our telephone conversation this morning, I am pleased to note that you are arranging to cover Mr. Budgen's arrival in Cardiff to be filmed on Wednesday May 7th.

He arrives at Rhoose Airport at 4.30.p.m. If the Cameraman will call at this office I hope to arrange conveyance for him from Cardiff to Rhoose and back.

In connection with the Jumping. I have secured particulars and Press Permits for the photographer, but I noitice this commences at 3.0.p.m. with the exhibition by Foxhunter at approximately 4.15. This unfortunately, will clash with Mr. Budgen's arrival, so it may not be possible to cover, as this appears to be the only reakly important part of the proceedings.

I have had a word with Mr. Budgen with regard to the information that you will require for the unning commentry and he thinks it advisable to await the arrival of his son when he will get him to give full details of his return and have this information typed out and forwarded to you either later on Wednesday or first thing Thursday, as I assume this item will not be included in the News until the following Monday.

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CARDIFF BRANCH MANAGER.

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I have had a call from Mr. Budgen the owner of these premises in connection with his son's trip from the Cape to Cardiff by Land Rover publicising the Empire Games and leaving messages of good-will from the Lord Mayor of Cardiff at all the capitol cities visited on the way.

He is due to arrive at Rhoose Airport 4.30.p.m. on Wednesday May 7th where he will be met by the Lord Mayor of Cardiff and all the officers etc., of the Festival of Wales and Empires Gemes Committees. B.B.C. and I.T.V. are both covering. Mr. Budgen has not approached any other Newsreel Company with regard to this matter, but if we find it impossible he would like to approach G.B.

If you require any further information you can contact him by phone direct Cardiff 33254.

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