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WESTERN SAMOA

(REPORT OF VISIT BY HON. W. NOSWORTHY, MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS TO), TOGETHER
WITH REPRESENTATIONS OF CITIZENS' COMMITTEE AND REPLIES THERETO, NOTES OF
INTERVIEW WITH CITIZENS' COMMITTEE, AND ADDRESSES OF FONONO OF FAIPULES AND
FAIPULE CHIEFS AND ORATORS OF FAGAMALO, SAVAI'I.

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ADDRESS PRESENTED TO HON. MR. NOSWORTHY, MINISTER OF EXTERNAL
AFFAIRS BY FAUTUAS AND FAIPULES OF WESTERN SAMOA.

Fonono House, Mulinu'u, Samoa, 1st June, 1927.

To the Hon. the Minister of External Affairs, New Zealand Government.

SIR,—

We, the undersigned, are the Fautua and Faipule of Samoa and Tokelau Islands, representing this Native country. We are now in session, and working faithfully to help our Administrator, His Excellency Sir George S. Richardson.

We have assurance of his real love and his untiring zeal for the well-being and prosperity of this our country. His heart is full of love for Samoa. We are persuaded that he is the right man to govern us in these days when Samoa's understanding in all matters is not complete.